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REDS PREPARING GIGANTIC DRIVE TO THE SOUTH

Guerillas Paving Way For Knock-Out Blow RED ARMIES DEPLOYING

Shanghai, June 18.

Three columns of the People's Liberation Army, composed mostly of former guerilla forces, have intensified "softening up" operations behind the Nationalist lines in the Southern provinces, as a new Communist five-pronged drive from the North loomed ahead in dealing a knock-out to the tottering Nationalist government.

This was revealed here today by an unofficial Communist source, which said that the three columns in question were the Fukien-Kwangtung-Kiangsi border column, the Kwangtung-Kiangsi-Hunan border column and the Kwangsi-Yunnan-Kweichow border column.

These were officially formed and incorporated in the People's Liberation Army on January 1 this year.

Blockade Of Red Ports Discussed

Canton, June 18. A Chinese Government source reported that the Nationalist Cabinet was discussing a blockade of all ports held by the Chinese Communists.

If the Nationalists attempt formal application of a blockade, presumably they would notify all nations engaged in commerce with China. Such notification would warn foreign ships that they would enter Red ports at their own risk.—Associated Press.

HUGE GOLD SEIZURE MADE HERE

Hong Kong's Preventive Service recorded one of the biggest gold seizures of the year last night when Revenue Inspectors caught a man with 360 ounces of gold.

Chief Preventive Officer Jack McIntyre Brown's men made the arrest and seizure on the water front. The man has been charged with illegally importing the precious metal.

Alert Revenue Inspectors stopped a suspicious looking passenger disembarking from the ss. Cheong Hing when he arrived here from Macao yesterday.

Searching him, they found 76 gold bars and around his waist. The bars were wrapped in paper, each package containing two bars.

The gold had apparently been hidden during the voyage from Macao to Hong Kong in the engine room as some of the bars were discoloured as a result of intense heat.



Map above shows provinces of Kiangsi, Fukien and Kwangtung where Red guerillas are reported paving way for Southward push by People's Liberation Army. At upper left on map is strategic railway junction of Changsha where strong Nationalist forces are now concentrated. It is believed the Reds will attempt to cut off Changsha by capturing Hengyang shown due South of Changsha where two railway lines converge. The vanguard of one Red column is reported advancing along road to Shichow, shown North of Canton, Red claim that most of East Kwangtung is now in Communist hands.

General Pui Chung-hsi's field headquarters, deep in Hunan province, and thus cut off strong-ly-defended Changsha, along the Canton-Hankow railway from its supply bases.

At present, strong Nationalist armies are reported to be concentrated in the Changsha area, 95 miles North of Hengyang, watching two Communist columns slowly advancing towards them along the Canton-Hankow railway and the Nanchang-Chuchow railway.

The Western Communist force is conceded an excellent chance of reaching their objective of Hengyang without major fighting as the territory through which they have chosen to traverse is said to be infested with local armed bands, which openly revolted against the Nationalist Government recently and are still engaged in a war of their own against Nationalist forces.

Drive Aimed At Kanchow

A fourth Communist column is all set for an offensive at the famous wolftrap producing centre of Kanchow in Southern Kiangsi province. The vanguard of this army is reported to be already advancing towards the Kwangtung border along the modern motor highway leading to Shichow (also known as Kungong), a city in North Kwangtung, on the Canton-Hankow railway, where Nationalist forces have established a major base to stem the Communist advance towards Canton.

Little information is available about the fifth Communist column, but it is believed to be at present regrouping between Kanchow and Nanchang, 50 and 30 miles North West of Fochow respectively.

The defenders of Fochow are said to have been reinforced re-

Czech Police Seek Evidence Against Archbishop Beran

Prague, June 18.

Czech police were today reported to be ransacking the church files of Archbishop Josef Beran in what church circles fear may be a search for evidence to bring the Prelate to trial.

Vatican sources meanwhile said they hoped events in Czechoslovakia would not be a sequel to the Hungarian campaign against the church and the Budapest trial of Joseph Cardinal Mindszenty.

Reds Holding Meeting In Peiping

Shanghai, June 18.

Democratic League leaders Chang Lan, Lo Lung-chi and Shi Liang are leaving Shanghai tonight by train for Peiping to participate in a meeting of the new multi-party political consultation conference.

They are proceeding to Nanking tonight where they will change to a train for Peiping.

The political consultation conference was originally expected to be held in Peiping on June 15 but was postponed. It may be convened when the three Shanghai Democratic League leaders arrive in Peiping.

The conference would make preparations for convening of a formal multi-party political consultation conference which would discuss the formation of a national coalition government. The formal conference would be held in August.

East China Committee
Meanwhile the National Working Committee of the Democratic League has established an East China Executive Committee headed by Shi Liang to direct and supervise the League's activities in the East China region. Su Yen-pin, Shen Pao-wen, Wen Kang-huo and Shi Yih-shin have been appointed members of the East China Executive Committee.

The National Working Committee also appointed Li Hsiang-shan as special commissioner for Central China. Li will direct the activities and organizations of the League in Honan and Hupei Provinces and Hankow.

The Democratic League is at present making preparations to hold the fourth plenary session of the Central Executive Committee in Peiping. The session may be convened at the same time as the preparatory committee of the multi-party political consultation conference.—United Press.

An unidentified source inside Monsignor Beran's palace reported by telephone that the search of church files had been going on in the consistory since the police entered the palace last Wednesday. The same source said the Archbishop—a bitter enemy of the Communist Czech government—was in good health and his movement was not restricted.

A close friend of Archbishop Josef Beran said the prelate will try today to break the police net that binds him prisoner in his palace, reports Associated Press.

Despite secret police guards at the entrances and telephone switch board at the palace this friend said he has been in communication with the Roman Catholic prelate.

He quoted Archbishop Beran as saying: "Now I am angry. I plead with you to tell some authority that things that have been written are true."

"I intend to try to leave the palace late today to go to Strahovský cloister (this is the huge monastery high on a hill above Prague) and preach there."

This word came out despite a close guard put on the palace.

All the Archbishop's staff of porters in the entrance lodge have been sent away and replaced by new "Catholic" Action Committee or secret police members.

Friends Turned Away
His friends, including those in the diplomatic corps, have been turned away.

Newsmen have been denied access to the Archbishop.

The decision to preach at the Strahovský monastery tomorrow moved up the deadline for a showdown between Archbishop Beran and the Communist Government of Czechoslovakia.

It had been expected he would make his first attempt to leave his residence tomorrow morning and walk across the square to his cathedral seat, St. Vitus, to preach a Corpus Christi sermon.

If the Archbishop is unable to leave the place, then the world knows that the Government, which is fighting him as the principal representative of a free Roman Catholic church here, had succeeded in making him prisoner.—United Press and Associated Press.

HK Chinese Papers Seized In Canton

Canton, June 18. All the large vernacular newspapers arriving here from Hong Kong today were confiscated on orders from the Government censor office.

The papers were alleged to have carried reports from occupied areas which were favourable to the Communists.—United Press.

NCDN On Sino-British Relations

Shanghai, June 18.

The British-owned "North China Daily News", in a candid editorial today, said British businessmen were seeking opportunities for trade to contribute to the general progress of China and urged the Communist authorities to take steps to put Sino-British relations on a "firm basis."

The paper recommended the authorities having laid a basis for stable government, should now "turn some attention to their attitude vis-a-vis foreign interests in general and British in particular." It pointed out that the imposing British interests in China were greater than those of other powers and include capital investments, railways, coal mines, cotton and worsted mills, dockyards, and tobacco and soap factories. It also cited the British tramways and waterworks in Shanghai, banks and shipping firms which played a big part in the development of the country's trade.

The editorial urged the authorities to take steps to facilitate entry and exit to China and inland travel and to make themselves available for trade discussions.

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Grace And Beauty On Roller Skates



Eileen McDonnell (of Brooklyn, New York, USA) rehearsing a fast moving sequence at the Empire Pool, Wembley in preparation for the opening of the Skating Vanities Show at Wembley. In addition to Eileen more than 120 other girl roller skaters are taking part in the show. The troupe arrived from Zurich. The show, which has been running for six years, makes its first visit to Britain. (AP Photo)

Red Cultural Supervisors Tighten Grip

Shanghai, June 18.

The Municipal symphony orchestra in Shanghai was taken over by the Communist Bureau of Education today but musicians, including foreigners, who wish to remain may continue to do so, the authorities announced.

Educational and cultural supervisors also took over the public library stating that the majority of the present staff may carry on. Communist administrators said that foreign members of the Municipal orchestra who wished to continue their work under the People's Government were welcome to remain.

The head of the Bureau of Education said that books containing material of an anti-democratic nature or non-sympathetic toward the mission of the People's Liberation Army would not be allowed to circulate.

The administration of the Cultural Control Commission said the Municipal orchestra will play an important part in the city's musical activities and will be supported by military and civilian members of the new government. He stated that the orchestra will continue to give cultural concerts.

Chiaotong University, which has been taken over by the Cultural Education Control Commission of the Military Commission is now undergoing a gradual process of reform with faculty and staff members remaining at their posts, it was learned today.

The Communist educational supervisor who praised the University faculty and students for their "unflinching struggle against Nationalist reactionary rule and brutal persecution and oppression" said that reforms to be carried out include:

1. Abolition of the disciplinary system and adoption of self-discipline.
2. Abolition of the Kuomintang courses and the addition of more political science teaching with encouragement of special studies and social activities.
3. The abolishing of all reactionary organs such as the Kuomintang San Min Cha-I Youth Corps and the Young China and Democratic Socialist Parties.

Petrol Shortage
Permission to operate its fleet as well as tank trucks granted the Caltex Oil Company by the Communist authorities today in a move which, it is hoped, will alleviate the petrol shortages, says Associated Press.

The shortage was blamed on the fact Caltex and other companies whose main tank stations are on the Pootung side of Whangpoo River had been unable to bring petrol across while small stocks on the Shanghai side were almost exhausted. No reason was given why permission was withheld. The usual explanation cases like this is that the government has not been set up to handle such matters.

The petrol shortage was being to produce a black market for the last several days. Ordinary petrol buyer was able to obtain only a willing to pay unless market prices, which was at least twice the regular price.—United Press, Reuters, Associated Press.

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Survives Fall



Kwong Kwok-hay fell from the roof of a four-storey building last week. He received treatment in the Kowloon Hospital for five days and now the 14-year-old lad is as healthy as any other.

Youth Survives Fall From Fourth Storey

A fourteen-year-old boy who fell from the roof of a four-storey building last Saturday is today enjoying life like any other healthy person.

Kwong Kwok-hay, the eldest son of Professor Kwong Ming-ling, was playing with his ball on the roof of his home when the ball fell over the railing and rested in a gutter at the side of the roof. He climbed over the railing and tried to retrieve his ball while hanging on to a thin piece of water pipe.

WOMAN JUMPS OFF FERRY

An old Chinese woman jumped off the Hong Kong-Mongkok Ferry 'Ma' Wai at 10.30 a.m. yesterday morning in an apparent attempt to commit suicide, but was rescued by a sailor of the ferry.

Correspondence

The Editor takes no responsibility for views expressed in letters by correspondents, and by no means necessarily agrees with them.

Forces Leave Centre

Sir—From time to time articles and letters appear in the Press regarding the welfare of Servicemen other ranks in Hong Kong. Comparison between the servicemen's poverty and the civilian's wealth are invariably made: the civilian population is urged to be hospitable and entertain the boys who are here to defend them and give them a few crumbs of human comfort which will help to keep them on the straight and narrow path.

Shipments From Japan

Sir—The correspondent 'Hata' presumably had in mind the system, no longer in force, whereby a deposit was required to cover freight and estimated landing charges, leaving an adjustment to be made later when such actual charges became known.

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Sir—At last the story of blockade of the Yangtze has been reported to be a story of phony blockade. As one of your correspondents pointed out, Chiang Kai-shek was given the credit he did not deserve.

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Finds Missing Father-In News Picture



Separated from his family for more than 20 years as a result of the Japanese invasion of North East China, a man found his 80-year-old father yesterday in Hong Kong—in a picture.

When the Japanese overran China's North Eastern provinces, Wang Teh-wei told his sons to flee to safer areas. Being old, he decided to remain behind with his wife.

One of his sons, Wang I-fu, escaped to Free China, thence to Hong Kong and, except for the war years, has been here since.

Wang I-fu made a number of fruitless attempts to contact his family at their home in Kwantung, Liao-ching peninsula.

During the war years, he and his family took refuge in Kwantung. They returned to the Colony following Liberation.

Since he was separated from his parents 20 years ago, Wang I-fu has always scanned newspapers, magazines, and photographs for news of his home town.

Yesterday he picked up a copy of a local bilingual pictorial and while going carefully through it, he came across a picture of an elderly man taken in Shanghai by Mr. C. P. Gorry, ace cameraman of the Associated Press, before the city was occupied by the Communists.

A visit to the Associated Press office here and a look at one of the original copies of the photograph, convinced Wang I-fu that the elderly man is his father.

Wang I-fu is now waiting for the mail service to be resumed between Hong Kong and Shanghai so that he may advertise for his missing father in the vernacular press in Shanghai.

The picture depicted a man with a Chinese cake in one hand and an armful of banknotes in the other. The banknotes could then buy only one cake.

The only explanation that Wang could give for his father's presence in Shanghai was that he had been forced to leave his home town by the Japanese and has been taking refuge in the city.

Wang I-fu has five sons. He is engaged in business in the Colony.

Missing Father

Photographed by Mr. C. P. Gorry, Associated Press cameraman, before the Communists occupied the city, this elderly man has turned out to be a local resident's 80-year-old father missing for more than 20 years.

Personalities

Departures from the Peninsula Hotel on Friday included Mr. and Mrs. I. Snyder, Mrs. S. A. Connelley, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Chan, Mrs. W. L. Gaine, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Galvin, Mr. and Mrs. V. Sayson, Dr. and Mrs. L. Ramond, Messrs. L. E. Wooley, R. Cohendet, E. V. Strongman, A. Crawley, A. de Aguiar, H. W. Britton, H. Frankel, C. Dobson, A. G. Belcher, J. M. Sutton, G. M. Alton, G. Hobblyn, J. J. Wakefield, W. G. Varley, and J. L. Berry.

Among the new arrivals at the Peninsula Hotel on Friday were Mr. and Mrs. D. Bader, Mr. and Mrs. K. K. Kuo, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Grimm, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Dixon, J. T. Tabay, A. G. Nepomuceno, A. R. Liberato, A. Canado, L. A. Benn, S. L. Bemis, C. J. Palstra, R. Donovan, R. L. Verne Morse, H. C. Tang, L. H. Hodges, M. N. Suri, F. Panang, S. Valoria and R. Villalobos.

Mr. Lim Hay-lan will address the Y's Men Club of Hong Kong at the Roof Garden, Hong Kong Hotel on Thursday at 2.45 p.m. His subject will be 'Education'.

Dr. Chu Chia-hua, Deputy Premier in General Yen Hsi-shan's cabinet, arrived here yesterday afternoon by air.

Arrivals from Canton yesterday by the Hong Kong Airways were: Miss Stebbins, Miss Yolander, Mrs. L. M. and Mrs. R. C. Perella, Miss O. S. Wilkinson, Mrs. E. Danson, Mr. W. H. Day, Mr. D. Warren, Mr. T. V. M. F. Deidson, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Seitz, Mr. Q. A. Wilson and Miss E. K. Rousseau.

Dr. Anacleto Coronel arrived here yesterday morning from Manila by the P.A.L. Dr. Coronel is a microbiologist of the Bureau of Animal Industry of the Philippine Government. He is proceeding to Bangkok to attend the Rinderpest conference which will be held between June 20 and June 25.

Passengers leaving for Manila yesterday by P.A.L. were: Judge Manuel Lim, Mr. Peter Tilleston (official of the National City Bank of New York), Mr. and Mrs. O'Leary, Mr. Chester Leiber, Mr. Lew E. Harr, Mr. Fritz Zelegny.

Arrivals from Canton yesterday by the C.N.A.C. were: Mr. J. A. Kelley and Mr. F. M. McClellan.

The following passengers arrived here yesterday (from Hong Kong) by P.A.A.: Mr. J. Musmann, Mr. P. Lagan, Mr. William Robertson and Mr. Roy Farrell.

The motor junk turned off its course and proceeded towards Kennedy Town at greater speed. St. Hollands fired three revolver shots to warn the craft, which again altered its course, this time travelling to Green Island.

Marine Police launch No. 22 was contacted by radio telephone and instructed to intercept the craft.

Three rifle shots were fired, which eventually stopped the craft.

A search revealed that the engine was a mechanical type, instead of those being paraffin for which it was licensed. There were 120 gallons of petrol. The master cleared for 18 personnel, but 28 persons were found on board.

The life saving equipment was insufficient.

In mitigation, defendant pleaded that he did not hear the warning shots as the wind was then blowing against him. He denied changing his course.

Regarding the alteration of the engines, defendant declared that it was the responsibility of the engineer and that he did not know about it.

Being pleaded ignorance of regulations to the other charges.

The charges on which he was convicted were: failing to stop when ordered to do so by a Police Officer in uniform (\$500); failing to report to the Director of Marine of his intention to carry passengers (\$100); carrying passengers without a permit (\$500); carrying dangerous goods without permission (\$200); using petrol as fuel instead of paraffin (\$300); and insufficient lifesaving equipment (\$100).

TRAIN ROBBERS ARRESTED

More than 10 of the bandits who held up an express train on June 11 at Tongmi Station, 22 miles from Canton, have been arrested, according to vernacular reports yesterday.

The two ring leaders, however, escaped.

The arrests were made on Thursday when more than 300 troops and police from Canton surrounded Tongmi village at 3 a.m.

More than 10 rifles were seized, as well as a considerable amount of documents of a subversive nature.

Junk Master Fined After Harbour Chase

A chase in the Harbour on Friday morning between Marine Police launch No. 11 and a motor junk which ended after seven warning shots were fired by Sub-Inspector D. Hollands had a sequel at the Marine Court yesterday.

Convicted on seven charges of Harbour offences, Tseng Hing-leung, aged 29, master of the Hoi Po On, was fined a total of \$1,600 and had his licence cancelled. His craft is to be re-surveyed.

The prosecuting officer, Inspector Nippard, told the Court that St. Hollands was patrolling the Tsimi Island area on Friday morning when he saw motor junk coming from North of Stignett's.

The Marine Police personnel signalled to the craft by the "K" whistle and the Aldis lamp, which were both ignored.

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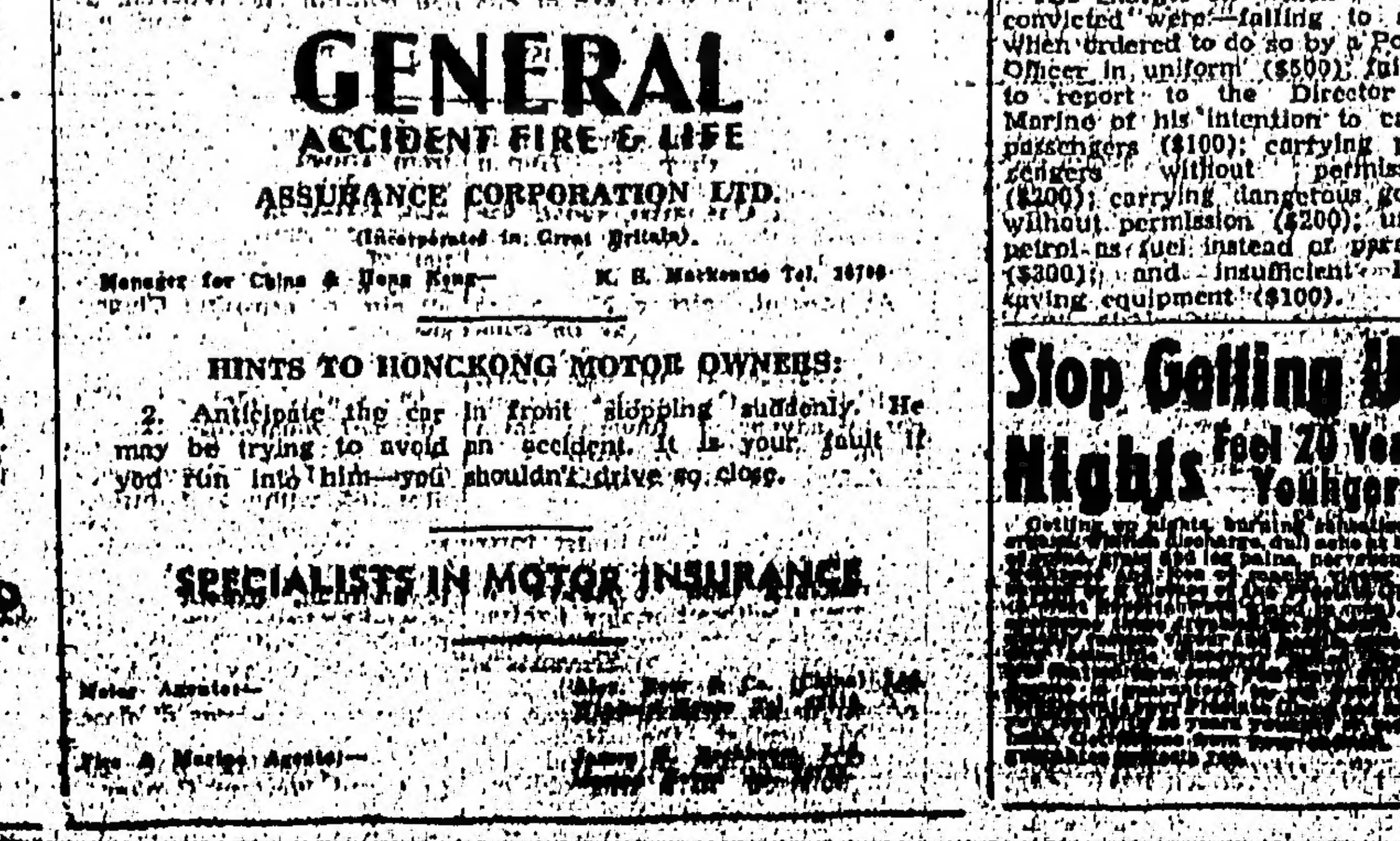
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Reminders

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Toc H Club, Classical Concert, Talbot House, 50, Macdonnell Road, 8.45 p.m.
HK Art Club, Sketching Party, members to assemble at Queen's Pier, 2.30 p.m.
Beach Picnic to Silverstrand beach, European YMCA, 2.30 p.m.
Solemn Procession, Corpus Christi, Roman Catholic Cathedral, 5 p.m.

Coming Events

TOMORROW
Whist Drive, European YMCA, 8.30 p.m.
Crown Land Sale, PWD Office, 3 p.m.
TUESDAY
Bridge Drive, European YMCA, 8.30 p.m.
HK Rotary Club, talk on "Forestry by Mr. Timworth, Roof Garden, HK Hotel, 12.30 p.m.
Urban Council meeting, GPO Building, 4.15 p.m.
WEDNESDAY
Toc H Club meeting, Talbot House, 50, Macdonnell Road, 8.30 p.m.
HK Amateur Radio Transmitting Society, annual meeting, China Fleet Club theatre, 5.30 p.m.
THURSDAY
Y's Men's Club, talk on "Education" by Mr. Lim Hay-lan, Roof Garden, HK Hotel, 12.45 p.m.
Kowloon Rotary Club, luncheon, Peninsula Hotel, 12.30 p.m.
RAF Association, luncheon, Jacobean Room, HK Hotel, 12.45 p.m.

Correspondence

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So Taiwan is doomed as far as London and Washington are concerned.
With Formosa in the hands of Moscow's henchmen, Hong Kong shall be as safe as it was before the Pacific War.
If the Britishers and Americans do not care that they will remain in the camps for prisoners-of-war for indefinite periods, other vested interests are certainly not concerned. If history does repeat itself, such interests will rejoice.
Our splendid tradition is that Collaboration with the enemy shall not be a crime.
Big shots under the enemy may be rewarded for "underground activities" if ever Anglo-Americans shall again win the war. Then we shall have Occupation Land Transference Ordinance as our blueprint to safeguard the ill-gotten wealth of future enemy's friends and favorites. All is not well, that ends well.
Then what is use of all these preparations—regulations, re-cruitals of defence forces and building of airfields?

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SMALL FIRE IN MOTOR JUNK

A small fire, which broke out in a 70-ton motor trading junk off the Yau-mai Typhoon Shelter at 7 p.m. yesterday evening, was promptly put out by a fire float from Central.

Damage was confined to some goods stored on the deck.

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STEARNS

PINE TAR

A big slash in personnel at the Colonial Secretariat will be one result of the recommendations of the Efficiency Expert, Mr. S. S. Ross, if they are implemented in full by Government.

This was revealed by Mr. Ross at a Press conference yesterday. He said he had completed his survey at the Secretariat and is now shifting his investigations over to Government's biggest spending department—the Public Works Department.

Mr. Ross said Government is acting promptly on his recommendations and some of them have already been implemented. An officer has been deputed to assist in the introduction of the changes yet to be made.

In answer to questions from the Press, Mr. Ross said that a slash in personnel did not necessarily mean a corresponding cut in expenditure. The Colonial Secretariat itself was not a big spender. It authorized the spending in the other departments.

Asked if his investigations at the Secretariat revealed any wastage, Mr. Ross replied there was but he could not give the exact figures.

In answer to another question as to whether he had any difficulty in getting facts and data in his investigations, Mr. Ross said all the officers he contacted were most co-operative and helpful.

PWD Investigation
"Are you getting the same assistance and co-operation from officers in the Public Works Department?" was the next question, to which Mr. Ross replied "yes," and added that investigations at the PWD will be as complete and thorough as that at the Secretariat if not more so. The entire organisation and its methods, including the various public work projects in hand, will come under the comb.

Reviewing the objectives of the survey and the results so far obtained, Mr. Ross said before he commenced on the survey a decision had to be reached on two points, namely, whether

(1) to make a superficial survey with the emphasis on organisation, containing enquiries chiefly to senior officers and commenting only on those methods which seemed to be obviously faulty; or (2) to make a detailed study of both organisation and methods, to enquire what was being done and why, to investigate closely the functions of each officer from the highest to the lowest, and to comment on any waste, big or small.

After consideration it was decided that the second was more desirable, and the survey proceeded on those lines.

It was soon recognised that much may be kept up and that only some of the faults found could be attributed to the legacy of the occupation period.

Improvements could be made by re-designing the organisation structure, by re-grouping functions, by an increase in the delegation of responsibilities, eliminating processes proved to serve no useful purpose, and by simplifying the work found to be essential.

Unnecessary Work

As an example of what he meant, Mr. Ross said that he recommended the abolition of a post held by a senior officer, at the Secretariat because 90 per cent of the work he was doing was found to be unnecessary, and the remaining 10 per cent could easily be done by someone else.

The result of the survey has been a speeding up of Government business in the department in question, and to effect a substantial reduction in the number of the staff to be employed, said Mr. Ross.

It is because the staff reductions are so substantial that they have to take place gradually as changes in the organisation are made, and old methods are replaced by the new.

Mr. Ross emphasised that staff reduction was not the first objective of the survey. "For instance, after we've gone through the PWD we may find it necessary to increase the staff instead of cutting it down," as at the Secretariat," said Mr. Ross.

With Mr. Ross at the conference was Mr. C. G. F. Melmoth of the Colonial Secretariat, who assisted in the survey.

Among the passengers who left Hong Kong for Bangkok, Singapore and Rangoon by C.R.A. yesterday included Mr. Jamison, Mr. C. J. Roberts, Mr. W. R. Armstrong, and Mr. P. Williams.

Sentenced For Demanding Money With Menaces

A sentence of 18 months' imprisonment and deportation for life was passed on Poon Siu, aged 36, unemployed, by Mr. W. A. Blair-Kerr at Kowloon yesterday.

On six counts of demanding money with menaces.

On June 13, defendant demanded 30 cents from food stall hawkers in the Hung Hom District.

Conducting the prosecution, Detective Sub-Inspector P. Love said that as a result of information, detectives were sent to keep watch on five licensed food stalls in the Hung Hom district on June 13.

At about 8 p.m. defendant came to the stalls and demanded 30 cents each from them. When defendant was arrested, he had \$24.50 in his possession.

He admitted that he had collected from stalls at various streets in Hung Hom.

Food Stalls Victimised

Defendant had been collecting the money from the five food stall hawkers for about 20 days. He told the hawkers that he was collecting on behalf of a man named Poon Ki, who, in turn, he said, was collecting for the police.

Complainants were licensed hawkers. They feared Poon Ki whom they thought was a bad character, and they also feared interference from the police.

Subsequent enquiries revealed that defendant told one complainant, Chan Yuk-kwan, that he was collecting the money on behalf of the police. If Chan did not pay, the police would arrest him, he said. Chan was an unlicensed hawker. He paid 30 cents three times a day.

The prosecuting officer further said that the police had not been able to trace Poon Ki.

"BRITAIN TODAY"

The May issue of "Britain Today," an interesting and comprehensive magazine published by the British Council, has just been issued locally.

This latest issue contains articles on art, drama, music, literature and the cinema, as well as an absorbing report on Birmingham, industrial capital of the Midlands.

In addition, there is the second part of Stephen Spender's "Britain and America," this time dealing with "trends in Literary Life."

Theatre and cinema lovers will welcome a report on "The State and The Arts," by E. H. Evans, and an article entitled "Plays and Pictures," written by Ivor Brown. "Music—The London Opera Club," by Dymally Hussey, should prove of great interest to music lovers.

The cover of "Britain Today," May issue, carries a photo of the Hans Hall Power Station, Birmingham.

ARMED ROBBERY IN KOWLOON CITY

Three men, armed with daggers, robbed the woman-occupant of an unnumbered hut in Cornwall Road, Kowloon City, of two gold rings shortly after 9 p.m. last night. The robbers made off when they found nothing else of value on the premises.

The two rings were valued at HK\$75.

Expert And Assistant



Mr. S. S. Ross, Organisation and Methods Adviser, (right) and his assistant, Mr. C. G. F. Melmoth, at a Press conference yesterday. ("China Mail" Photo).

Embezzler Sentenced To Six Months' Term

Pleading guilty to two counts of embezzlement at Kowloon yesterday, Ho Siu-ming, aged 33, was sentenced to six months' imprisonment by Mr. W. A. Blair-Kerr.

Detective Sub-Inspector J. D. Brown, prosecuting, said that defendant was employed as a shoefitter at complainant, Wang Sze-ming's, oil factory, at Wing Hong street, Castle Peak Road.

Defendant's job was to collect money relating to outstanding bills from customers for goods supplied by the factory.

On June 2, defendant visited the Sang Yuen Grocery Shop, of 127 Tung Choi Street, and collected \$1,750 which was payments for goods received from the factory.

On the same day, defendant also visited 100 Fa Yuen Street, and collected \$933.70 which was also payment for goods from complainant's factory.

Both the above sums were collected by defendant on behalf of complainant, but none of the money was paid to him.

The prosecuting officer went on to say that there were also three outstanding amounts having been collected by defendant at three different shops.

A report was made to the Police on June 9. Defendant gave himself up at the police station on June 17.

Defendant had been in the Colony for about 10 years. Before he worked at complainant's factory, he ran a soy business on his own. The business failed, and defendant told the police that he had been paying off the debt gradually with the above money.

The complainant told the court that he was prepared to take defendant back as an employee, as he had been with him for more than seven years. Defendant's father, who was also working in the factory, had been with Wong for some 20 years.

While they were at the Hawkers Office in the Western Police Station, Lau stole \$30 from the boy.

Before Mr. Hin-shing Lo at Central yesterday Lau was charged with larceny from the person and was fined \$100, or one month.

The magistrate asked defendant whether he still had the money and was told that he had only \$50. Mr. Lo then fined defendant \$50 or 14 days.

SLIC DIVIDEND

The Directors of the Shanghai Loan and Investment Company Limited, have decided to recommend at the forthcoming annual general meeting that a dividend of 20 cents a share be paid in respect of the year ending December 31, 1948.

WAR MEMORIAL FUND

Public subscriptions to the Hong Kong War Memorial Fund, received between June 11 and 17 follow:

Yuen Cheong Hong \$50.00
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SOLD ICE CREAM WITHOUT PERMIT

For selling ice cream without a permit, Main Street, West near the Hong Kong Electric Substation on Friday, Hung Kam, aged 44, and Lam Wai, aged 30, were fined \$40 or 14 days by Mr. Hin-shing Lo at Central yesterday.

Received "Stolen" Property

Ma Chao-hai, aged 17, was yesterday sentenced to 18 months' hard labour and recommended for deportation when he was found guilty on a charge of receiving stolen property by Mr. James Wickes at Kowloon yesterday.

Defendant had two previous convictions, namely, from person and aiding and abetting a larceny from person, respectively.

Conducting the case for the prosecution, Inspector J. Hadden said that cases of this kind have been prevalent in the Tsin (Sha Tsui) area.

He continued that defendant was in company with a Chinese juvenile, a shoe-shine boy, on June 14, in Nathan Road near Pokin Road.

The shoe-shine boy stole \$21 from a European, and as he was running a way he threw the money to defendant.

Defendant picked it up and put in his shoe-shine box. He was arrested by an Indian constable as he was running away.

The magistrate in delivering the sentence, ruled that this was a serious case. This is defendant's third conviction involving an offence which is nothing less than being a member of a robber band.

NO RESPECT FOR IMMIGRATION FLAG

Two masters and seven mistresses of cargo junks were fined \$200 each by Mr. James Wickes at Kowloon yesterday for breach of immigration regulations.

Sub-Inspector A. Korshonoff told the court that on June 17 he saw the ss. Chong Tung under the Chinese flag, proceeding towards Stonecutter's Island.

The vessel was followed by a launch flying the immigration flag HNN. The vessel was about 50 yards apart.

As soon as the ship dropped anchor, she was approached by 11 big junks, from which many Chinese swarmed aboard.

When the immigration launch arrived, the coxswain was ordered to collect licences from the junks.

Inspector Korshonoff said that when the junk people saw the immigration launch approach they took no notice.

He showed that they had no respect for the immigration flag and the police launch, which was only 50 yards away from them, the inspector added.

THE BIBLE AUDITORIUM

At the Bible Auditorium, Chatham and Mody Roads, tonight the Far Eastern Academy choir under the direction of Miss Minnie Iversen Wood, will render the sacred cantata, "The Beautiful Queen," beginning at 7.30 p.m. Participants will enact their parts in costume.

Following the cantata, a moving picture film, "The Voice of Prophecy," will be shown. At the 6.30 p.m. meeting in Hong Kong, the film "The Voice of Prophecy" will be featured.

The cantata will be rendered only at the Bible Auditorium, on the Kowloon side.

LARCENY IN POLICE STATION

Or Friday a boy of 10 and Lau Muk-shin, aged 20, were taken to the Western Police Station on a charge of obstruction.

While they were at the Hawkers Office in the Western Police Station, Lau stole \$30 from the boy.

Before Mr. Hin-shing Lo at Central yesterday Lau was charged with larceny from the person and was fined \$100, or one month.

The magistrate asked defendant whether he still had the money and was told that he had only \$50. Mr. Lo then fined defendant \$50 or 14 days.

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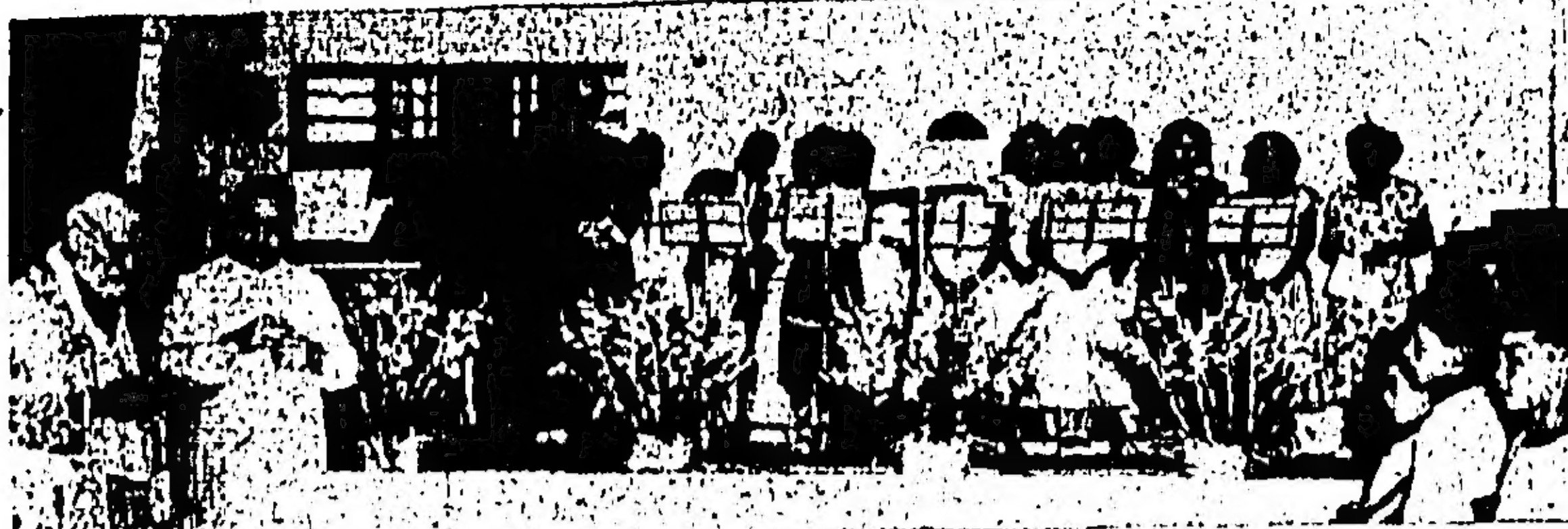
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Bishop Blesses Club Premises



The Rosary Church Club officially declared open when an inauguration ceremony was held yesterday, picture shows the Club's Choir in the background and His Excellency Bishop, Valtorta, giving the Blessing of the Club's premises.—("China Mail" photo).

St. John's Annual Appeal

This year's annual appeal for funds by the St. John Ambulance Brigade will be launched on Saturday when a flag day will be held. Tonight, the Governor, who is the President of the Association Brigade will broadcast an appeal to the general public over Radio Hong Kong.

Very little is known of the work done by the members of the Brigade.

Since the beginning of March every train from Canton has been met by a band of St. John men and women who have undertaken to relieve the Medical Department, by vaccinating all who come into the Colony.

This is no light job. It means extra time from office, and no lunch. St. John will continue with this work until the Medical Department gives the "All clear".

With the public enjoying the beach each week-end, it would be interesting to them that on one Sunday alone at Repulse Bay, 348 cases were attended to. Many were minor ones admittedly, but several serious, necessitating an Ambulance to hospital. On June 9 two members of the Brigade rendered artificial respiration to a drowning boy and saved his life.

Braemar Disaster

At the Braemar Hill Air disaster the nurse and members of the Ambulance climbed to within a short distance of the burning plane hoping to save the passengers.

The assistance given by St. John members at the Race Course has been appreciated by the Hong Kong Jockey Club who have donated an Ambulance. The Hong Kong Cricket Club and the Hong Kong Football Association have also given donations.

In Shatin, the St. John Maternity Home gives free service to the poor.

The districts of Tsing and Tsun-wan have been inspired by the work of St. John, that they have now formed their own divisions. Members of the Police Force and Reserve, School Teachers, Boy Scouts, school children and other members of the public are being trained by St. John in First Aid.

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TALBOT HOUSE OPERETTAS

The series of operettas by Gilbert and Sullivan will continue at Talbot House (Toc H), 50, Macdonnell Road, at 8.45 p.m. today.

The operetta to be presented tonight is "The Gondoliers." This recording was made under the direction of D'Oyly Carte, and the records have been kindly lent by the British Council.

Next Sunday's concert at Talbot House will include two groups of songs by the Tit Lau Choir.

Inaugural Ceremony Of Rosary Church Club

The Rosary Church Club was officially declared open when an inauguration ceremony was held yesterday.

In the main hall, above the stage were the Latin words: "Mens Sana In Corpore Sano", which mean A Sound Mind In A Sound Body, symbolising the very aim of the Club.

There is a small bar, public debates will also be conducted.

The president said that the club will show some educational films as promised by various trade commissioners.

Further musical entertainments were provided by Miss Lilia Xavier and the choir and a speech was also delivered by the Reverend Father H. de Angelis.

After refreshments were served to the guests, the "Resurrection" (Parasol) by the choir concluded the ceremony.

Among a large gathering who attended the ceremony were presidents and committee members of the Catholic Association, HE Mr. H. Valtorta, Father William Kuyfer, Father Joseph Alessio, Father Antonio Berio, Father E. Gherzi, director of the Zikawei Observatory, Shanghai, and Father Peter Chow.

Recreation And Education

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The following forthcoming weddings have been announced: Manuel Perpetuo Xavier, clerk, of 8A King's Road, second floor, and Miss Maria Adelaide Maren, typist, of 23A Cameron Road, second floor.

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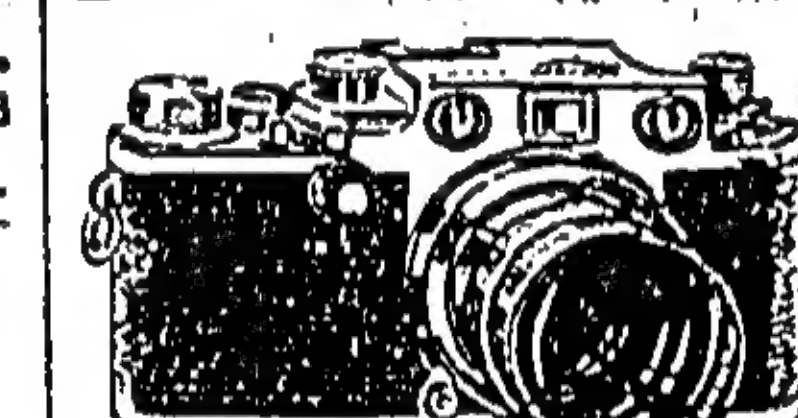
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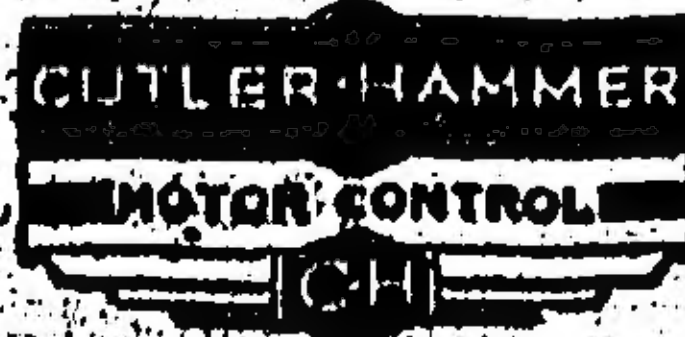
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Patrick Campbell's Piece

I've surfaced again. Went right underground the other week-end, after being defeated in the fifth round of the Amateur Championship at Portmarnock, and found myself cast up on the tarmac at Northolt a couple of days later, slushing at the air with fairly golf-clubs and shouting to the crowds to stand back. Had to be roped and thrown by the airport officials, and sent home in a six-wheeled lorry.

Ran into a nice little situation, too! We've suddenly found a country house! Highly desirable small property near Marlow, with cesspool drainage, gas, electricity, and on a plot. The whole thing going for a song. One of the mass choruses from Tannhäuser, with the bassoon players bursting their buttons.

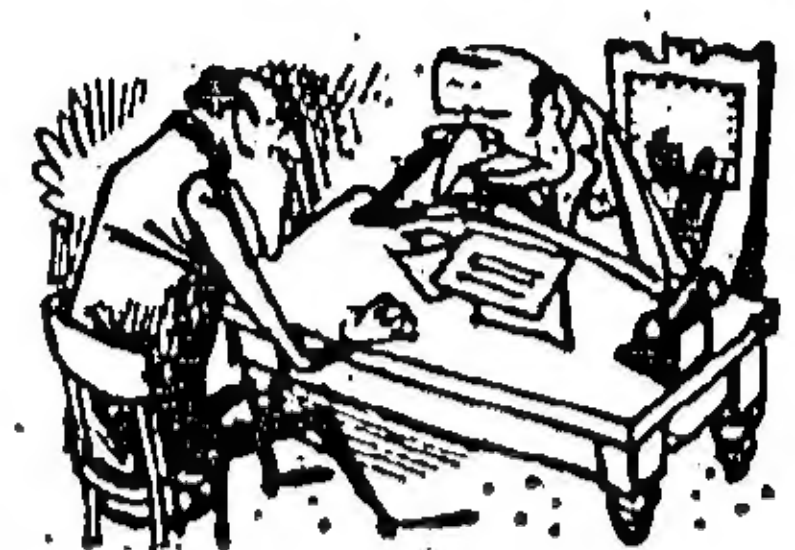
I'd intended, this week, just to sit around the club telling people what it feels like to get into the last eight of the Amateur.

"Actually, you know, it's almost boring. You get through one round, and then you have to go out and do the same thing all over again. It's the same course, and you get into the same bunkers, and you get through that round, and then you have to go out and do it all over again. It's the same course, and more likely than not, you'll get into the same.

But there was no time. After searching the Home Counties at your leisure for two months you suddenly find something you like, and then, within half an hour, you have to ring up the building society, ask them to send down a surveyor, and £1,000, be examined by a doctor, and a

solicitor, ring up the building society again, call at the bank, send a telegram to the man who owns the house, telling him to keep everyone else away, look at the price of second-hand furniture, ring up the bank, write a letter to the owner of the flat of which you are now a nervous sub-tenant, and then try to decipher the meaning of something like:

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Read and paving charges? I thought the Government paid for the roads, and, if necessary, paving. It can't possibly mean that once every two or three weeks I have to hire a steam-roller, a gang of navvies, and a wooden hut, so that a pot-hole outside my front gate can be filled in, which was probably dug but in the first place by an eight-seater

limousine roaring past stuffed to the brim with chattering executives of the Coal Board.

If, that be the case, I shall be outside my front gate all day long with a pocketful of stones and a catapult. "They shall not pass," will be my motto. And, as for paving, I shall make a virtue out of necessity and tell the village push the gerambulators along the road. "You take those wheels off that paving!" I shall cry, "you are vehicular traffic within the meaning of the Act!"

It turns out now that the other man's solicitors want my solicitors to ask me to give them 10 per cent of the purchase price as a guarantee that this whole thing is not merely a joke.

Just slip them 10 per cent of the purchase price, and then all the 53 people involved can begin filling in their particular dumps of forms with an easy heart. They aren't, after a couple of days' work, going to put down their pens and say, "Heigh-ho, no much for that," and then suddenly look up and see me standing in the door with all my front teeth sticking out shouting, "Yah! Yah! April Fool!"

Ten per cent of the purchase price. I shall go round and see the bank manager.

I don't, as a matter of fact, like getting too far back in banks. The first hatch at the front counter is good enough for me. A quick cheque slipped in to "Self" for "One pound only," and then out again while the going is good.

But the minute you get back into banks—that's where the dangerous stuff begins. The heavy mahogany doors. The ankle-deep

carpet. The hush. And then—"The manager will see you now." The fourth mahogany door opens, and there he is—friendly, smiling, generous, and watchful as a snake.

I pour it all out in a rush. I've been living with it unwittingly for 24 hours, and it seems to me that he must know all about it too.

"Very desirable little property... cesspool drainage... a hen... if you could see your way to..."

He takes out a gold pencil. He draws towards him a memo pad. "If we could just have some facts and figures..."

We go through it much more slowly. Very much more slowly. He's drawing it out of me, in fact, with pincers, one finger-nail at a time.

At the end of it he's friendly, smiling, generous, and afraid I'll get run over by a taxi.

"How will the bank stand," he asks me, quietly, compassionately. "If you get run over by a taxi tomorrow? Or even," he adds, "today?"

I thank him very much and walk out. A taxi misses me by a single inch.

I try another source. "All you have to do," I tell this source, "is to guarantee me for, say—" I laugh, in a brittle way—"a thousand pounds."

The source sucks its gold pencil, and notes down the figure on a memo pad.

"I can let you have half my weekly envelope," I rush on, "and if I get any extra, or perhaps a cooked tongue, from Dublin I could let you have..."

"Tell me," says the source, "how are we going to stand if you get run over by a taxi?"

I thank him very much and walk out. It seems to me to be a curious thing that a financial transaction of this kind should be regulated by the fear, amounting to a certainty, that the party of the second part, immediately after signing on the line, should be leaped upon by a public service vehicle and done to death.

Taxis, so far as I, personally, have seen, hardly ever run over anybody, and even if they do the chances are you'll get off with a flesh wound. And even if I had a flesh wound I'd probably have enough strength left to haul over half my pay-packet.

There is a sudden scream of brakes. The taxi stops with its steaming radiator pressed against the small of my back.

"I beg your pardon," I tell the taxi-driver. "I was thinking about something else." By a happy chance he is unable to reply.

But now—the miracle! I have been drilling in some unlikely country. It looked, at first, like a lot of shale and second-class rock. But, all at once—the gusher!

I am now in a position to purchase the small but highly desirable property near Marlow, with cesspool drainage, the usual offices, and a hen. We shall be moving in, in a couple of weeks, with two table-lamps, a footstool, and a pair of pilers.

It ought to be easy enough while the weather holds up.

What the CHINESE PRESS is saying

Devaluation Rumours

Wah Kiu Yat Po: Persistent rumours of an impending devaluation of the pound sterling were recently circulated. However, such wave of such rumours was immediately refuted by the British financial authorities. In fact, up to this date, no devaluation has yet taken place.

The rumours, nevertheless, indicate the weak position of the pound sterling. The latest rumour originated from American sources who appear to be quite confident that a devaluation is impending.

The strength of any currency in the international financial market reflects the economic soundness of country. Before the outbreak of World War I, the British pound was the strongest and healthiest of all international currencies. However, following World War II, this currency has depreciated considerably.

Britain today is a debtor nation. As a result, it is only natural that the world should lose confidence in her currency.

Britain's main object during the four years following World War II has been the recovery of her national economy through increased production and exports, and conservation of foreign exchange.

Britain's adverse trade balance is due to the necessity of having to import foodstuffs and raw materials from the United States at the expense of the U.S. dollar exchange. And despite all efforts, the adverse gap is widening. Therefore, if the position cannot be improved, Britain will face extreme difficulty in maintaining the legal value of the pound sterling.

Inflation in Britain has considerably reduced the purchasing power of the pound sterling. Wages, for instance, are today 75 per cent higher than the level existing before the war. It is

obvious that the value of the pound sterling is decreasing.

Unless Britain is able to increase her production and unless the United States extends the Marshall Aid to Britain beyond 1950, the devaluation of the pound sterling will become a certainty. However, Britain is certain to exert her utmost to avoid such a calamity.

A devaluation may improve Britain's trade position in the world markets. But it is doubtful whether it will be able to remedy her adverse trade balance. This point must be carefully considered before a decision is reached on devaluation.

Rubber Exports

Hwa Shiang Pao: Following on the heels of the order placing the export of cotton under official control a second order has been made restricting the export of rubber. Export of rubber, no matter where it comes from, into China can now be carried out only by special permit. This stringent measure has resulted in the rubber market being paralysed.

Hong Kong's economic prosperity is dependent on her transit trade. The depression experienced in recent years here is a result of the unsatisfactory import-export controls enforced by the Chiang regime.

Following the liberation of North China and the vast areas in Central China, big Chinese ports have been thrown open one after the other to foreign trade. This move has assisted Hong Kong considerably to tide over the commercial crisis here. In fact large stocks of rubber accumulated here were able to be exported.

The new measure is detrimental not only to rubber merchants but also to local economic prosperity.

The measure will aggravate the economic crisis in Malaya—a rubber producing country. In a word, the measure is also harmful to Malaya.

It seems strange that this measure should be adopted now when new China is starting to recover and develop her production resources and when British merchants are entering into trade relations with new China.

International Problem

Kung Sheng Yat Po: No great concern regarding the future of Hong Kong should be felt particularly if one recognises the international nature of the problem.

Dr. Evatt's statement recently that if the sovereignty of China like that of Hong Kong is threatened, it will be an international problem of much concern to the United Nations Organisation is a sound statement. It supports our previous comments on the subject.

Regarding the China situation, the Western nations have decided to wait for the situation to clarify. Before taking any action they will wait for the Communists to set up their central government and decide their policies.

If the Communists, on orders from Moscow, attack Hong Kong the situation will indeed become critical. And if the Democratic Front is unable to save the Colony, this will be taken as a sign of weakness by the Soviet who in turn will adopt a more stubborn attitude in Europe.

The Soviet has failed in the cold war in Germany. The question now is whether she will sacrifice the Chinese Communists to involve Hong Kong in trouble.

We believe that Hong Kong's safety will not become a problem until the Soviet is strong enough for an all-out war with the United States.

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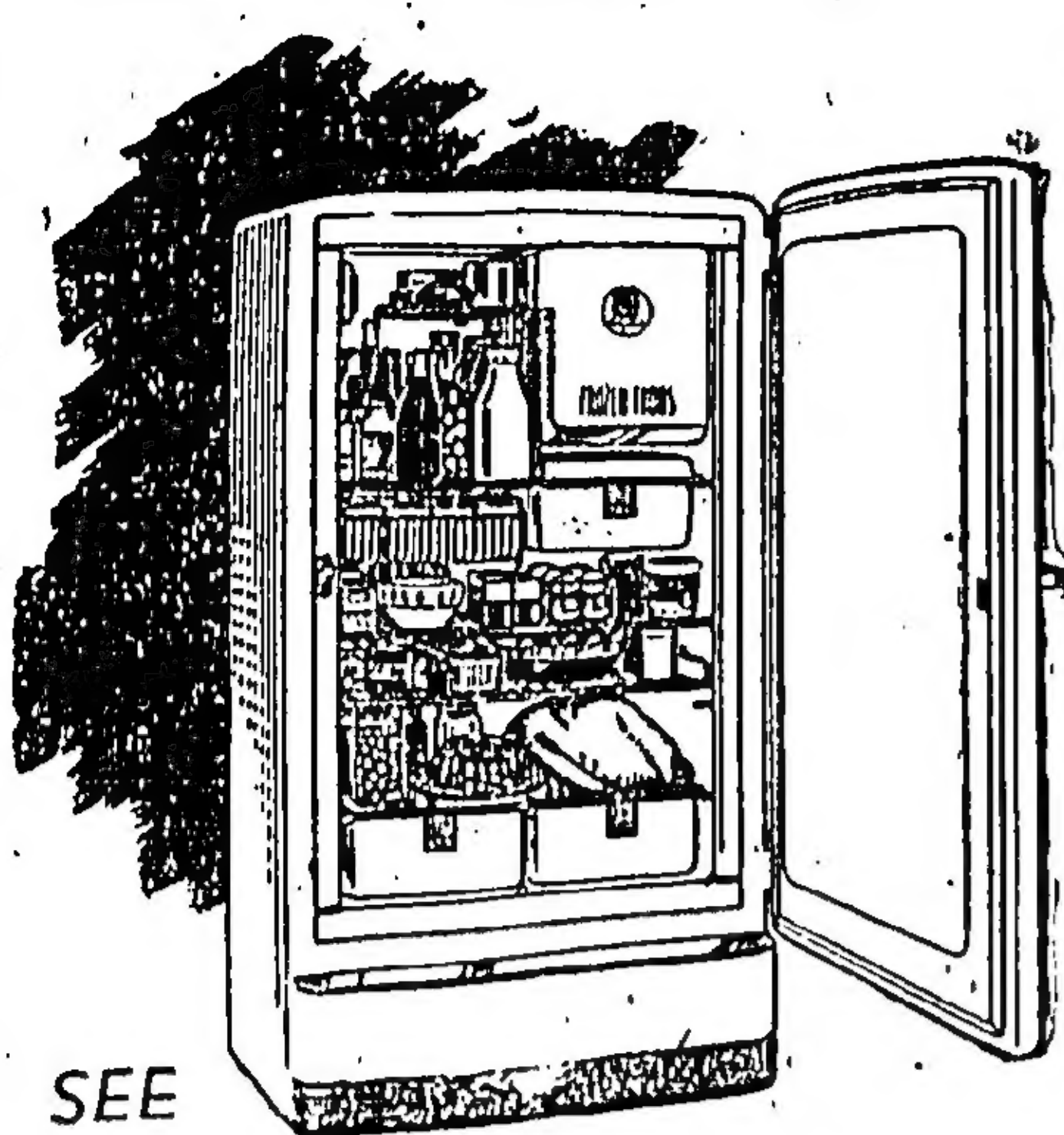
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Korea Aid Essential To Check Communism

Washington, June 17.

The U. S. aid programme for Korea must be approved if the Americans hope to contain the advance of Communism in Asia.

Walton Butterworth, director of the State Department's Office of Far Eastern Affairs, told the House Foreign Affairs Committee this today.

Testifying on the Administration's request for a \$150,000,000 aid plan, Mr. Butterworth asserted that failure to approve this plan would be interpreted as a United States defeat in Asia.

Committee members are fully appreciative of the Administration's plan but are not yet convinced of the effectiveness of their approach. The majority of Committee members polled by the United Press said they have not made up their minds on the question.

Members said their greatest concern over Korea has been whether this assistance might be used by the Communists to take over Korea at any time.

Military officials have advised the committee that this is most possible. However, State Department officials contend that it is unlikely and the United States therefore should take a calculated risk in attempting to hold South Korea, which is one of the so-called democratic bastions surrounding Communist Asia.

Japan Control
Committee members denied emphatically that the hearings have been concerned to any extent with the question of whether the State Department should take over the

control of Japan from the Army. Committee members said the only question asked on this subject had come from Representative Helen Douglas of California who on Thursday asked the Acting Secretary of State, Mr. James Webb, whether there are any plans for civilian instead of military administration there.

Mr. Webb replied, according to the committee, that there are no active plans and that is a question which will have to be decided by the National Advisory Council.

He added that although the Department is willing to assume whatever job is given to it so far there are no indications that it will be required in the near future to do this.—United Press.

MORE TROUBLE IN INDIA?

Patna, Bihar Province, June 17.
The Indian Socialist Party today threatened to launch a nation-wide struggle if the Indian Government does not solve the peasant problems in the country.

A resolution to this effect was passed by the Party's National Executive which is meeting here. It did not specify the peasant problems referred to.—Reuter.

Combine To Dissolve

Stuttgart, June 17.

The Anglo-American authorities today gave the final order for the breaking up of the "Boech Combi", the great German electrical firm here.

The Decartellisation Commission's order to the firm ruled that Bosch is an excessive concentration of economic power.

It demanded that the firm dispose of its large spark-plug plant at Bamberg and 29 other smaller companies and facilities in Germany.

Its two main plants in Stuttgart and smaller facilities in Mulhausen and Feuchbach may be retained by Bosch, as well as its 100 per cent ownership of the Eisenmann works at Stuttgart which manufactures lamps, air compressors and other electrical goods.—Reuter.

FIVE-LEGGED FILLY BORN

Denabruock, Germany, June 17.
A filly with five legs was reported today in Denabruock, near here. The fifth leg is just behind the left foreleg and will be removed by an operation.

Veterinary surgeons consider the filly may live.—Reuter.

BIG FOUR TALKS:

WEST LOOKING FOR WAY OUT OF SNAGS

Paris, June 17.

Western diplomats took advantage of an adjournment today to try to find a way around the blockade holding up the Austrian treaty.

For hours they talked with Dr. Karl Gruber, Foreign Minister of Austria. They wanted from him some of the information they had tried to get from Andrei Vyshinsky, Russian Foreign Minister.

They wanted to know what assets Russia is likely to claim as part of her settlement and what effect surrender to the Russian demands would have on Austrian economy and Balkan affairs generally.

This was one of the several stumbling blocks in the way of the settlement which the four Ministers have agreed to get or abandon by Monday night.

The Ministers will meet again on Sunday in secret session to discuss the two subjects on which they yet hold some hopes of agreement. These two are all that remain of a broad programme they outlined for themselves four weeks earlier.

The two subjects:
1—Progress towards peace in Austria.
2—A code of fair play on trade and transport in Germany and in and out of Berlin.

The experts who talked to Dr. Gruber expected to get very little they did not already know. Negotiators on both sides have digested every grain of the economy of Austria, but they might still learn from Dr. Gruber what the things have greatly changed since their last debate over the treaty.

"Only one thing is actually agreed," one American spokesman said. "That is that we will adjourn on Monday night after an open session."

Some Hope

Despite some of the gloom comments from the American side, British and French spokesmen in claiming that there is some hope of small successes from the conference.

They have made progress in putting aside things on which agreement is impossible. That took almost three weeks of the nearly four weeks the conference has been in session.

On Berlin.
M. Vyshinsky is demanding an all-German committee on trade, commerce and currency. It would be weighted heavily on the Eastern side so that the West Germans could not outvote the Russian zone.

The West will not agree to give the East a voice in management of the West's commerce, especially currency. They might agree to a fixed rate of exchange between East and West currency.

In turn, the West has demanded that free access be granted to Berlin by rail, land and water. There is as yet no firm yes to that from the Russian side.

2. On Austria.
The West has offered to increase the lump sum reparations payment from Austria to Russia from \$25,000,000 to \$37,500,000 spread out over six years. But there are two conditions. Russia must agree not to compel Austria to cede certain territory to Yugoslavia. Russia must also say what German assets in Austria she is claiming as reparations.

Russia appears to have agreed for the moment on the territorial question. On the reparations question, M. Vyshinsky insists that he will report what German assets Russia is taking only after the West agrees to the paying of the \$37,500,000.

The West insists that that is "pig in a poke" business to which they will not agree.

British sources say there is not much doubt about many of Russia's claims to German assets in Austria. The margin of difference, they say, is relatively limited at the moment. But neither they nor the French and Americans are willing to give Russia a free hand in the business. Russia's claims might suddenly grow.

The West, for instance, is disagreeing about giving Russia control of the Austrian docks of the Danubian Shipping Company. The West thinks Austria has a right to them. Russia insists that they also are German assets and subject to seizure for reparations.

Another Meeting

Evidently what all sides want is continued contact both in Germany and through the Foreign Ministers. It is fairly certain—barring the unforeseen—that arrangements will be made for the four zonal commanders in Germany to keep in contact. They will have the job of promoting trade much needed by both sections in Germany.

Also, it seems fairly sure—barring the unforeseen again—that they will agree to have another meeting of Foreign Ministers next autumn.

The Austrian treaty might be in shape for signing then. "You cannot tell," one Western spokesman said, "what might develop. Little things have a habit of developing into big ones."—Associated Press.

Denial Of Yugoslav Accusation

Athens, June 17.

The Greek Government has denied to the United Nations Special Committee on the Balkans a Yugoslav allegation that a Greek Spitfire dropped several bombs and machine-gunned the Yugoslav village of Skopivir, near the Greek-Yugoslav frontier, on May 30 last.

The Greek denial, which was contained in a letter addressed to the Balkans Committee by M. Alexander Dailiotis, the Greek liaison representative, said that a full inquiry by the Greek Government has shown that there were no flights over the area at the time and on the date mentioned in the Yugoslav allegation.

The Greek Charge d'Affaires in Belgrade had proposed a frontier meeting between Greek and Yugoslav personnel to discuss the matter in detail, the letter added. The Greek Government, it continued, is prepared to contribute as fully as possible towards establishing the true facts of the incident, which appears to have provoked such intense feeling in Yugoslavia.—Reuter.

AUSTRIAN MOOD OF OPTIMISM

Vienna, June 17.

Officials close to the Austrian Government express the greatest confidence that at long last an Austrian treaty may be concluded, although messages from Paris warn against undue optimism.

Reports from Dr. Karl Gruber, Austrian Foreign Minister, now in Paris, are said to be most hopeful.

British and American officials in Vienna, who have closely followed the development of the treaty negotiations throughout, are less impressed by reports from Paris.

It would be a great step forward, they said, should the question of Yugoslav territorial claims against Austria, and that of reparations, be definitely settled.

But the questions of the Zisterdorf oilfield, Danube shipping and continued Russian ownership of vital assets in Austria after the conclusion of a treaty—questions which had caused the break-down of several earlier conferences—still appear to be unsolved.—Reuter.

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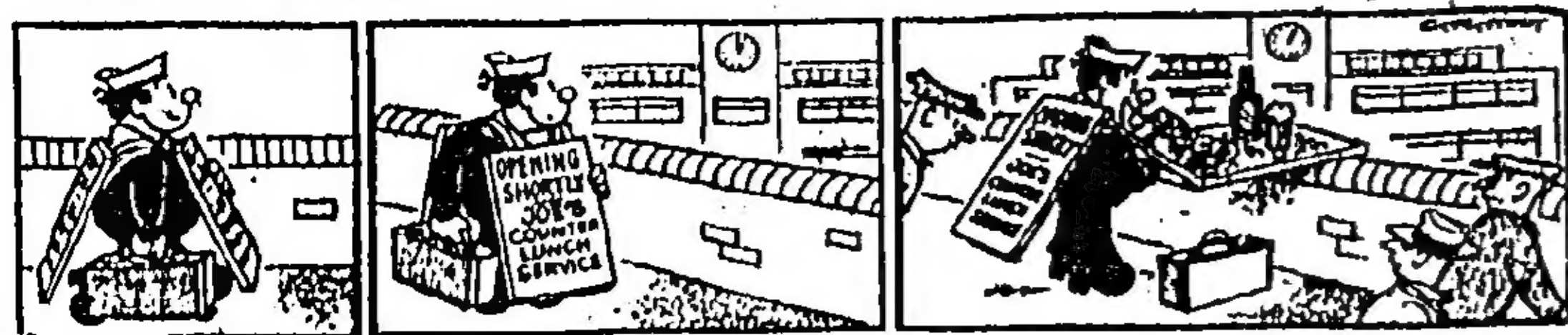
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So, after three weeks touring Italy, I am home again. Well, physically I am here.

I mean it's really quite a shock to leave the warm sunshine and snow-living tempo of Rome and sit in a room with a half-hour flying time to arrive at Northolt where everybody seems very brisk and the thermometer is 50 degrees lower.

To tell the truth, I think my mind is still quietly chugging along through France, and has about arrived at Bourg! Funny enough, this appears to be a very pleasant condition. And those words "quietly chugging along" seem to prove the immense value of breaking the somewhat deadening routine of

our daily lives.

I doubt if many women really like the idea of making the effort to get away. We all want a change, heaven knows, only with a family there is so much preparation, isn't there?

But I'd like to advise all husbands to refuse to accept the idea of a "holiday at home," and to INSIST that their womenfolk get out into different surroundings for at least two weeks a year.

It is extraordinary how it changes your outlook. The next day's meals no longer loom like

you have only one food problem. That neither you nor your children should be called! Which is not intended as a joke, for it is a very real temptation to the hungry Britisher to over-eat dreadfully the first day or so on the Continent... and then suffer accordingly.

Don't drink tap water without asking. Recently in a first-class hotel in Italy, after I had been there five days, a notice suddenly appeared in the bathroom saying on no account to drink the water. Nothing special had happened, they'd just omitted to mention it before! Mineral water is cheap and generally wiser.

There are porters all right. Dozens of them. In France, as always, one small man will put down a suitcase for you, and then share out the rest of the luggage.

In Italy they appear to be apportioning out your belongings among numerous excitable types who shout at each other and completely ignore you. In either case, just count your baggage to see none is left sitting, and trot peacefully along behind.

Since it is not your fault if you have six porters for six pieces; tip as generously as you would for the same portage by one man and tell them to split it up.

It is nice to be able to speak the language, but by no means necessary. Other nations do not share our illusion that raising the voice interprets a foreign tongue; and they either speak English or find out what you mean very quickly.

Clothes? Obviously the answer depends so much on where you are going. I believe in putting all the clothes I MUST take with me out on the bed... and then seeing if I can't put half of them away again!

The lighter you travel the less packing, pressing and laundering (I will NOT pack dirty clothes. Suppose the suitcase burst open? I buy beach shoes when I get there, and generally leave them behind, and take one unobtrusive kind of hat.

You ask the Customs difficult? If you aren't up to mischief, certainly not! Declare anything you are bringing home (you aren't likely to be taking anything out) and then the officialdom generally quite reasonable.

What fun there is in the unfamiliar! Whether it is rolls and coffee for breakfast, instead of kippers and tea—or just that cheese is served before the sweet—or in the States the calm indifference to time.

Once we get away from petty domesticity we often find part of ourselves we forgot existed. The gay part. Then when we get back the familiar with its roots so deeply planted seems very dear and friendly. We pop into our accustomed chair, the cat rubs against our legs, and the kettle sings on the stove.

Funny we get so sick of it—there's really no place like home!

BEHIND THE POLITICAL SCENE

Trade Union Discontent

At Blackpool the Labour Party's annual conference was preceded by a service at which the Archbishop of York preached the sermon. It was not attended by the non-conformist Home Secretary, Mr. Chuter Ede, who last week was advocating, with his customary candour, the disestablishment of the Church of England.

The latter is hardly an issue likely to be uppermost in the minds of many delegates, most of whom must today be judging the possibility of the party's disestablishment of a few day's ago unions to be a far more topical problem.

For it is the loud rumblings of discontent in the T.U. movement that will provide the main background to this conference.

Attlee's Privilege

Already the action of the railwaymen has sounded a warning as sharp and as symbolic as the lightning which a few days ago ripped its disrespectful way down the famous Tower into the Blackpool gas main.

Indeed, many delegates will not have dared to make the Whitson journey by rail at all, and will have found some means of following Mr. Attlee's privilege-up a herculean performance of carrying more than is possible.

The meaty-mouthedness which nowadays conventionalises comment on the actions of organised labour has rather inhibited criticism of the causes of the latest dispute.

Trumpy Grievance

In the not-so-distant days when every adventurous boy wanted to grow up to be an engine driver the chance of "having a wife in every terminus" was not among the attractions held out by this employment, though no doubt before long there will be "lodging" jokes in the repertoire of every, imuse-hall comedian.

Whatever general sympathy there may be for the railwaymen's broader wage-claims, there is none for this trumpy grievance of a few hundred men. Nevertheless, I doubt if Mr. Attlee, whose Ministry has on the whole played a helpful part in this foolish business, chose his words very happily when, at Blackpool on Friday, he blurted out the furniture operators that if "industries which at the moment I won't name" had behaved better, he "might have had a few more hours sleep in bed."

Yet he betrays the real fear in his colleagues' mind, as well as his own inability to express it articulately, when he begged his fellow trades unionists: "Don't let the destroy it (i.e. the Government) by its own people: being its candid friends and creating difficulties for it."

By "its own people" he meant the trades unions who long ago took the fatal step of identifying themselves with a single political party.

Now it is no longer the responsible Socialist leaders in the unions who retain authority. It is the Communists and the shop stewards who, skilled in seducing simple minds, can now effectively throw back in the face of his colleagues Sir Harry Shawcross's famous boast: "We are the masters now."

Union V. Party

It is no simple matter for Mr. Attlee's Government to quell this

crisis. Apprehension and toughness alike could sow the seeds of his Government's destruction.

The lessons will have to be taught by events, for the prospects of events to come can get no hearing. And the words of those who, like the Economist, warn that "full employment will not

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work without a million unemployed" are immediately drowned by the interested protests of both employers and vote-seekers, irrespective of party.

The obviously growing indifference of many trade unionists to the interests of the Labour Party need not concern us, though it must certainly greatly concern the Blackpool delegates. What the public has to worry about is the unions' more serious indifference to the national interest.

In part, no doubt, the still recent teachings of Socialists like Sirachy and Shillwell, who were at such pains to steel the workers against exhortations to higher production, have come home to roost. And Sir Stafford Cripps himself will get little sympathy while he persists in blowing to smithereens with one speech the case he had so elaborately built up with a hundred others.

Yet the slump which is already well on its way may rapidly deteriorate into a terrible and lasting depression if the unions were now to lose all sense of responsibility and press on towards that "headlong collision with the Labour Government" which it is the avowed aim of the Communist Party and its stooges to provoke.

Chaos And Confusion

A restoration of trade union discipline and respect for the obligations of negotiation, whether with the Government or private employers, is therefore an urgent necessity.

But there are many other shadows over Blackpool this week, and many other problems which are going to make it very difficult for the party bosses to bring any coherence out of the chaos and confusion now reigning in Socialist ranks.

There is certainly not one Labour spokesman of publicist at present to be found who is happy about the state of his party. The parliamentary chairman Mr. Maurice Webb, M.P., is for his part more concerned with the sudden discovery that there is a strong and vigorous opposition to contend with.

After four years of complacent and patronising bragging worthy of the Playboy of the Western World he now admits that his party's present "sluggishness is partly, due to the idea" that the

Tories had been given the complete knockout in 1945, and he seeks to disabuse his comrades of "the dragging, enervating idea that we have polished off the Tories for the next two decades."

Election Formula

But he has so far advanced no very convincing suggestions as to how the Labour Party can at Blackpool find a formula capable of repeating in 1950 its 1945 triumph.

One suspects that he would welcome any formula except Sir Stafford Cripps', and for that course he will find plenty of allies at Blackpool. There will be Mr. Ellis Smith calling for recruits to join his revivalist crusade for a stricter Socialist fellowship.

There will be the boys and girls of the Tribune group, who hold to the view that "the clash between property and democracy is still the major issue facing the British electorate" and who hope to achieve through envy, hatred, and malice, much the same ends as Mr. Ellis Smith and his friends seek through a kinder idealism.

There will be no revolt against the Government's view that only harder work can now maintain or increase the "benefits" secured by Socialism's four years.

But there will be bitter argument as to what promises should be held out in order that that harder work (together with Labour votes) can be forth coming from the greatest possible number of Britons.

Fair Shares

Professor G.D.H. COLE'S proposal to the effect that the Socialists should not so much be more Socialist as look more Socialist (by abolishing the Lords, increasing death duties, imposing capital levies, etc.) will certainly be echoed, as will his threatening suggestion that voters should be frightened "into climbing on the band-wagon while they can" rather than suffer in the conflict which organised labour would initiate with another Tory Government.

No doubt all the delegates will agree with Mr. Webb's pious injunction to "use our power until 1950 for clear Socialist purposes and fair shares."

I suppose that the Socialists were so busy preparing their Blackpool "resolutions" that they had to leave it to Tories to point out that the Mountbatten Estate Bill, smiled on by the Labour Government, was a glaring example of special legislation for the privileged individual.

Neither Mr. Foot, with his obsession with the struggle between "Property v. Democracy" nor Mr. Webb, with his obsession with "fair shares," saw fit to protest against such favouritism for a member of the non-Tory "ruling class."

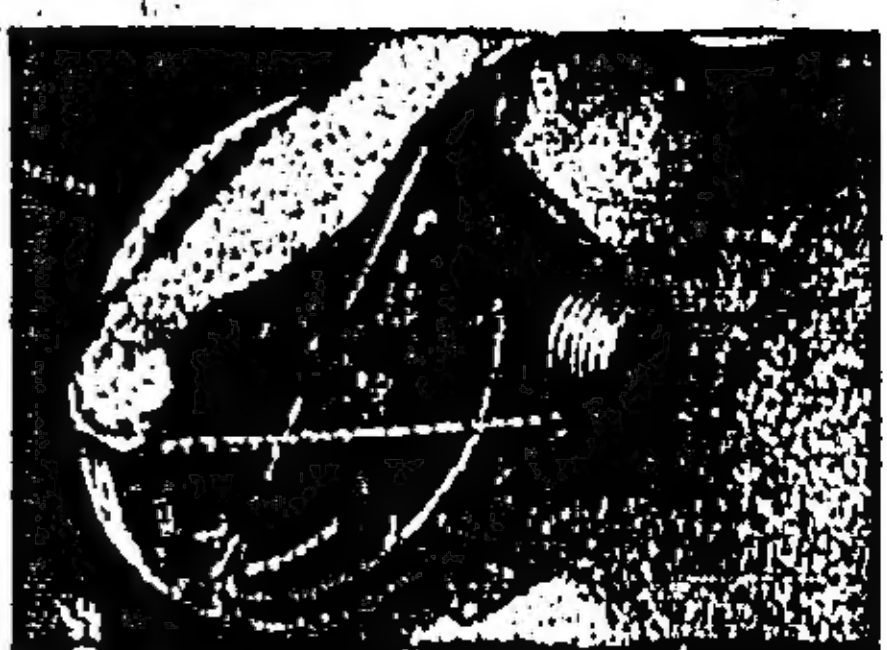
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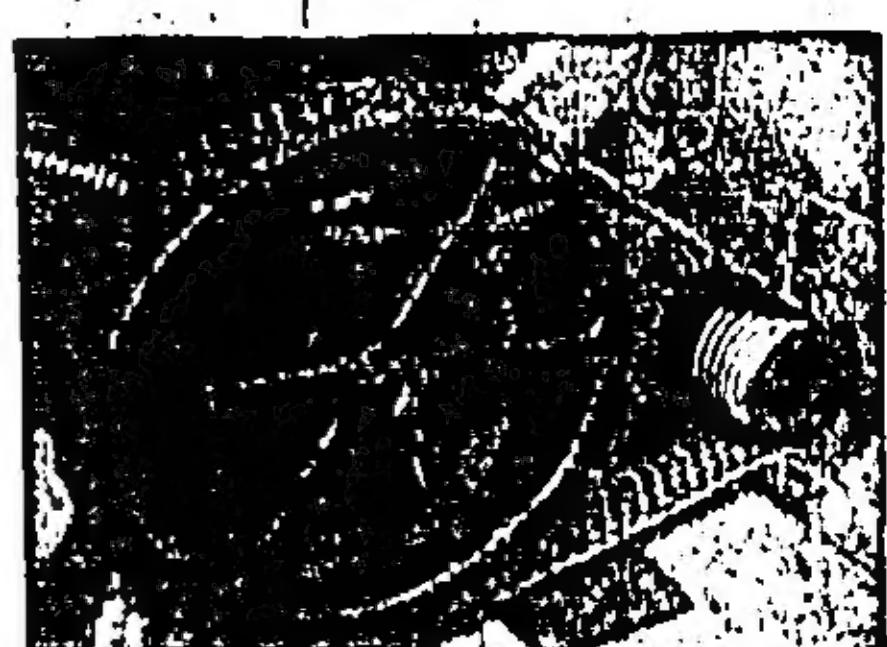
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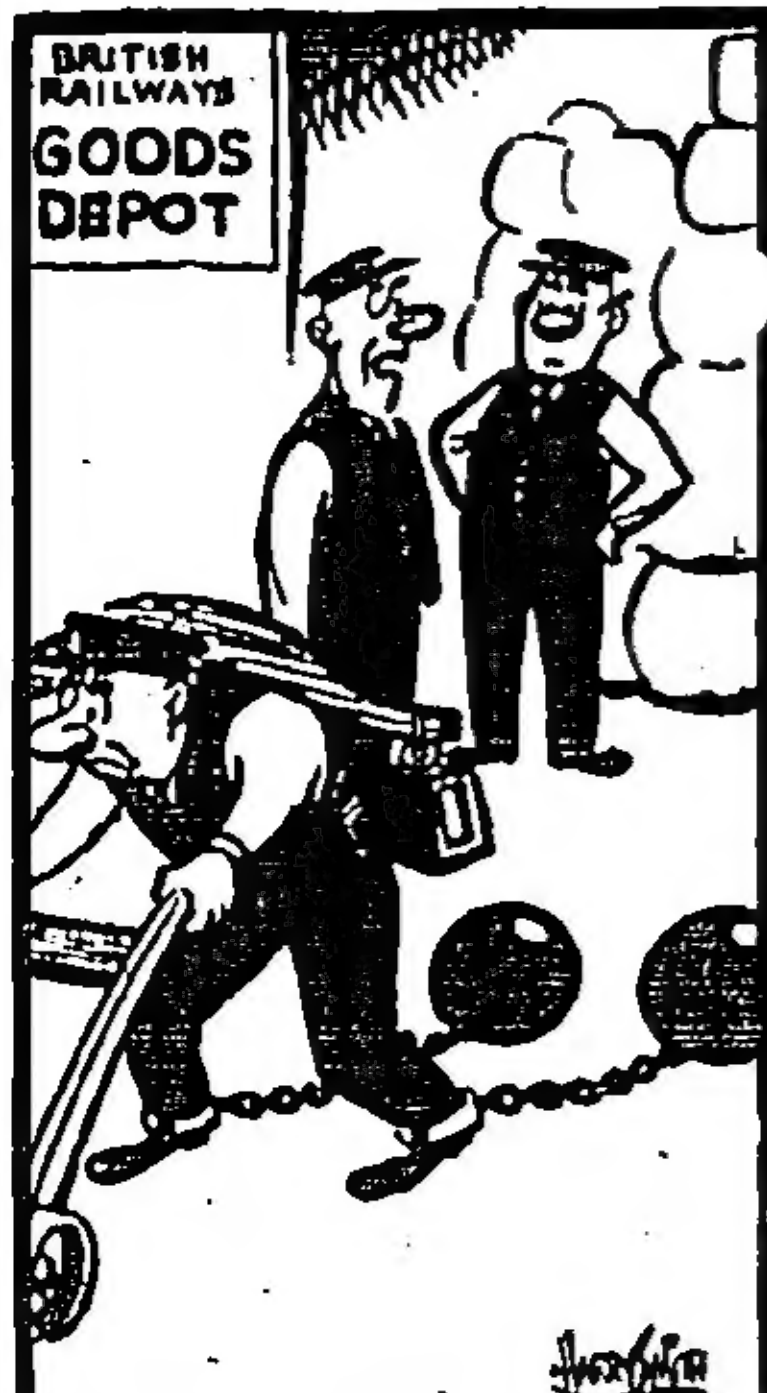
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What with rumours of war, and then financial restrictions, they couldn't make it. Now they are a bit nervous, and naturally thinking along the lines of life here at home.

One recurring question is about food such as milk and eggs. "We know there is plenty of rich savoury food and wine for adults, but is it all right for children?"

Will there be porters at stations? Foreign languages are forgotten, or else being young and having had no chance to travel the writer has not a clue of anything but English. What about the water. Is it safe to drink? And clothes! Oh, dear, what clothes?

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"GOOD OLD BILL" MAKES CALL TO BURMA VETERANS

London, June 17. Field Marshal Sir William Slim, Chief of the Imperial General Staff and former Commander of the 14th Army in Burma, called on nearly 8,000 veterans of the Burma campaign tonight to give Britain "that leadership you showed in Burma."

The third Burma Reunion in the Albert Hall here was attended by veterans of the 14th Army, the British Eastern Fleet and the Royal Air Force.

Capture Of Okkan Imminent

Rangoon, June 17. Government troops reached the perimeter of Okkan, 70 miles North of Rangoon, today after a rapid advance along the Rangoon-Prome highway, the Burma Army radio said.

It stated that Government troops pushing North from Taikkyi, which they recently occupied, had overrun three important hamlets.

According to the radio, the fall of Okkan, which is imminent, will put the Government troops well on the road to the important town of Tharrawaddy, eight miles below Okkan, where pro-Government irregulars are waiting to link up with them.

Government troops at the temple city of Mandalay are preparing to launch an offensive on Kyaukse, about 12 miles to the South, the radio added. Remnant of the People's Volunteer Organisation troops are concentrated here.

Fifty-four Karen rebels, were killed when the Government Army ambushed bands in the Pegu area North of Rangoon, the radio claimed. The rebels fled North leaving the dead behind.

In a clash in the Upper Chin-dwin district of Northern Burma, four rebels were killed and four captured, the radio added.

WAGES AT SEA

Geneva, June 17. The 61-member International Labour Organisation's conference here today passed by a narrow majority, a number of amendments designed to encourage Governments to ratify the 1940 Seafarers' Convention on wages and conditions of work at sea.

The amendments aim at making the Conventions less rigid. France has ratified eight of the nine Conventions, and Australia and Sweden one each. During the debate, a British spokesman said that Britain will probably now be prepared to ratify two of the Conventions.

They stood up and shouted: "Good Old Bill," as the Field Marshal, who also commanded the Allied Land Forces in South East Asia, walked to the dais. Mingling with the veterans of the Burma Army—some in striped trousers and dark jackets, others in flannels and sports jackets, and others in chalk-striped "demob suits"—were scores of their wives, a few men, still in uniform, a group of Burmese and another of American GIs.

"You accomplished great things in Burma because you believed in the cause for which you were fighting, because you knew and felt that we were in it together—we, the British, the Americans, the Chinese, the Gurkhas, the Burmese and the Africans," Sir William told the gathering.

"The cause of Britain is still worth fighting and working for. Tomorrow, when we go back to work, do not let us talk about Burma. Let us show others that what we did in Burma we can do now in Britain."

"If you give that leadership by example, you will be doing another great job for your country and one that is just as great as you did in Burma, when you turned defeat into victory."

On the platform were many of the Army, Navy and Air Force officers who took part in the campaign, and Mr. Lewis Douglas, United States Ambassador in London.

ANA PAUKER IN DISFAVOUR

Zurich, June 17. Ana Pauker, Rumanian Foreign Minister, has fallen into Moscow's disfavor for depositing funds of the Rumanian Communist Party in foreign banks, including Swiss banks, without advising Cominform authorities, the Swiss weekly "Weltwoche" said today.

The newspaper said this practice of the Rumanian Communists came to light with the arrest of Solvay Vidanu, a Rumanian now on trial at Winterthur for political and economic espionage, in Switzerland.

One of Vidanu's assignments in Switzerland, the prosecution alleges, was to ferret out foreign currency holdings of Rumanian refugees in Switzerland and then, through bribery and blackmail, secure them for the Communist party.

Evergreens On Mars, Says Professor

London, June 17. Professor Grigor' Vikhov has discovered that Mars contains evergreen-like plants, as well as deciduous plants, Moscow Radio said today.

The professor, who is well known for his studies of Mars, has noticed patches, which retain their green color, for the whole year, round the Radio said.

"The Martian vegetation does not emit on our globe," the professor is reported to have said. "This property has been lost by the Martian vegetation in the process of constant adaptation to conditions of low temperature."

DIMITROV CRITICAL

Prague, June 17. Some Prague newspapers have been informed that the condition of Georgi Dimitroff, Bulgaria's Communist Premier, is so critical that they should get an obituary set up in type for early publication.

Dimitroff has been undergoing medical treatment in Russia since early spring, Moscow radio said recently that he is suffering from a liver ailment and other complications.

An employee of one Czech newspaper said his editor had given instructions to prepare Dimitroff's obituary with a lavish display because the news is expected to be announced within two or three days.

The editor's information is said to have come from Czech Communist sources.

The informant said it can be assumed that other Prague dailies have received similar instructions.

Associated Press.

RAILWAY WORKERS TURN DOWN OFFER

London, June 17. A delegate conference of Britain's 46,000-strong National Union of Railwaymen today backed Union Executive in refusing the employers' offers of higher wages for the lowest paid workers.

The offered increases are understood to range from six pence to 2s. 6d. a week.

The conference instructed the Executive to continue negotiations on the basis of the Union's original claim for a 10 shillings a week increase and at the same time press for an early settlement.

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COMPLETE DEADLOCK REVEALED IN TALKS ON JAVA CEASE FIRE

Pangrehpinang, Bangka Island, June 16. The Republican Premier, Mohammed Hatta, and President Ahmed Soekarno said today that if the Dutch keep delaying the return of the Republican regime to Jogjakarta, it would be better if they do not go back at all, but throw the dispute back to the U. N.

An agreement for the restoration of the Republic, in return for a cease fire order to the guerrillas, was reached through the U. N. on May 7. Talks for the implementation have dragged on for five weeks and have finally reached what Hatta describes as complete deadlock.

He and Soekarno explained in a joint interview with the Associated Press that differences in the cease fire order resulted in the present impasse.

Hatta said: "The Dutch want us (Soekarno and Hatta) to accept the details of the cease fire agreement now, while in Bangka and then urge the final agreement on our Government after it is restored."

He stated flatly that the Republican leaders do not do that. "We can agree on the general principles but not on the details. We must consult about them in Jogjakarta with our military leaders," he said.

Otherwise the cease fire order would have no result. (The May 7 agreement was that the Republican leaders would personally commit themselves to urge the cease fire after being re-established in Jogjakarta but did not specify whether it should be worked out first in a general or detailed form.)

Goodwill Gone. "If the Dutch delay too long," Hatta said, "we would do better not to go back, but cancel the agreement. The longer our return is put off, the more dangerous the situation becomes, and we cannot shoulder the responsibility."

Hatta's frank statement pierced for the first time, the news.

Asked about their opinion of a defence pact for South East Asia, like the Atlantic Pact, Hatta and Soekarno said that they agree with the principle of such a pact in this part of the world, but emphasised that the Republic stand is that any future union with Holland must not prejudice the rights of such a pact.

The both said that the future political administration in the Indies must be Indonesian, and Dutch civil servants are not needed in the policy-making body.

only an advisory body and that they will need Dutch technicians such as teachers and engineers and that Dutch economic interests will be protected.

British Woman Found On Barge. The police here today said that Mrs. Adelaide Mollie Harris, found unconscious on a barge on a Paris canal on June 7, is the wife of a British officer stationed in Trieste.

They can give no further details about Mrs. Harris, but said that Mrs. Harris is still in hospital suffering from the effects of a heart attack and is unable to talk.

The police yesterday said that Mrs. Harris is the daughter of a British officer now stationed in Singapore.

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DEADLOCK BLAMED ON JEWS

Washington, June 17. Mark Ethridge, chairman of the Palestine Conciliation Commission, said today that the Israeli delegation is largely responsible for the deadlock in the Lusitania peace talks.

Mr. Ethridge told the press that he had urged the Israeli representatives to make concessions on the Arab refugee problem, but so far they had refused to do so.

"If Israel does not change her position, the way out is very tortuous," he said. "I am relatively sure that they will get a peace settlement. Otherwise, I am not so sure."

The four Arab delegations to the talks today demanded that Israel create a "goodwill" for the conference, by agreeing to the return of Arab refugees.

Their demand was made at a secret meeting with the United Nations' three Conciliation Commissioners.

They urged the Commission to obtain action from Israel on the demanding emergency measures to conserve the assets in Israel of two Arab memoranda on refugees.

Arab delegates and proposing the return of refugees to those parts of Palestine allotted to an Arab State by the United Nations' partition plan.

The Arabs also asked the Conciliation Commission what action it is taking to implement the December 15, 1948 resolution of the United Nations General Assembly, which called for the return of the refugees to their homes.

They asked the Commissioners to state their reaction to a speech made in the Israeli Parliament on Thursday by Dr. Moshe Shapell, Israeli Foreign Minister.

The Commissioners are understood to have replied that they have not yet seen the full text of the speech.

United Press and Reuter.

Paris, June 17. M. Fernand Grenier, a Communist Deputy, tonight gave notice that he will ask the Minister of the Interior, M. Jules Moch, why the American film "The Iron Curtain" has been allowed to be shown in France.

The question says that the film is "outstanding, anti-Soviet propaganda."

M. Grenier also asks why the film is being shown in Paris at the same time as the Big Four Foreign Ministers' Conference.

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FIRESIDE ECHOES:

LEISURE-TIME IN FOOCHOW

By WILLIAM M.S. BRAND

The early seventies witnessed the formation of a Gun Club which used to meet every Thursday on Green Island, mid-way down river between the Customs Bund and Kushan Point, but which has disappeared since the Min River Conservancy started the work of dredging that stretch of river during 1919.

The clay birds were released at the down-river end of the island, off which must be judged many tons of lead shot; certainly the Conservancy dredge brought little, if any, of it to the surface, but, instead, retrieved several old-fashioned anchors and muzzle-loading cannon. Interport shoots were held, the last of which was in 1912 with Fochow winning the Trophy, a massive 21" Canton-silver Punch Bowl, which was lodged in the Fochow Club from whence, alas! it disappeared in the Rape of Nantai in 1944.

In those days almost every family owned a house-boat in which one could play freely up and down the Min River and its tributaries at one's pleasure. On the Thursdays alluded to by the Conservancy, a dozen or so of these boats, to be moored round the up-river end of Green Island, aboard any of which luncheon or tea was waiting to be served more for the asking. The Interport Shoots would start in the morning and carry on after a brief interval for lunch until dusk set in, when all the boats weighed anchor and in a body lazily sailed down to Roxoda Anchorage returning to Fochow round midnight. It was not a question of families taking their own boats; the parties of a set purpose were mixed, some desiring to play cards, others to have a sing-song with banjo and harmonium or just a smoke with a whisky-tanqueray by their side. It was one day in the week everyone looked forward to and if the moon was up the setting was just perfect.

There were many excellent shots in Fochow of whom Charlie Howell was outstanding, behind the traps or in the field with shotgun or rifle. Others were Tom Gittins, Ronald Greig, Walkinshaw, Stansmore, Beley, Baker, Helling, Oswald, Phillips, Balloch and Wintzer.

After the shoots were over the older children used to wade in and assist retrieve the clay birds, five cents being offered to anyone of them finding a whole clay. The fragments were sent down to Hong Kong for re-casting.

Books And Sculls

Whilst the highbrows formed themselves into a group known as the Fochow Literary Society, well patronised by the Missionary community, amalgamating with

the Cosmopolitan Library—distinct from the Fochow Library and Billiard Room—the young bloods of the port, affectionately dubbed Griffin (an Anglo-Indian word denoting a newcomer to India from England; a greenhorn), started a Rowing Club, albeit too short-lived. The amount of traffic on the river had not received very much consideration and after a series of mishaps to crews of four, one of which resulted in the drowning of a child, which was knocked off a scamp, with heavy compensation having to be met, the Rowing Club dissolved as quickly as it was formed. For long years after the Club's craft lay suspended amid the rafters of Greig and Co's godown, mute testimony that such an institution once existed.

Little is known of the activities of the Literary Society except that it was indebted to one member for having a paper printed which he read at one of the Society's meetings during 1918. The paper, I refer to is, "The Early Days of the Treaty Port of Fochow," by F. E. Wilkinson, then H. B. Mc's Consul.

French Bombardment Of The Min River Ports 1884

Twice within 57 years the forts guarding the Min River between Pagoda Anchorage and the sea have been destroyed: during the war with France in 1884 and by the Japanese in 1941. For many years France had been building up for herself a sphere of influence in Annam, in 1882 she acquired Cochinchina, just to the South of Annam, and a few years later marched into Tongking, a province of Annam neighbouring the Chinese border. Annam was tributary to China, and China came to her aid. This was the cause belli in 1884, concerning which France's action was censured by more than one of the Big Powers then interested in the Far East.

My grandfather's "Weekly Tea Letters" of that year (July) recorded that in view of the approaching crisis and the likelihood of Fochow being occupied should war result, tea men had been willing sellers at somewhat earlier prices. On August 22, he wrote, "at two o'clock the sounds of heavy firing were distinctly audible and still continue" and on August 30 "the engagement of last Saturday resulted as expected in a total collapse of the Chinese fleet. The actual fighting is said to have lasted only seven minutes, but the French fleet kept up a heavy fire for three or four hours and this unnecessary action is most severely criticised by the British naval officers. There were five Frenchmen killed. The native loss is almost impossible to estimate, but it is thought to be somewhere between 1,000 and 1,500. Since the commencement of the week, the Frenchmen have been engaged in destroying the forts, towards the mouth of the river, this having been completed yesterday evening. It is expected that they will have steamed out this morning. HMS "Zephyr" was fired on during the engagement and Lieut. Hubbard had his leg broken. The ship was amputated but the officer died.

The forts of 1884 were primitive, stone-faced earthworks commanding the narrow straits below the Anchorage, the dockyard at Mamoi, and the approach to Fochow at Kushan Point at the site of the present Fochow Christian University. They were armed with stationary muzzle-loading cannon pointing down-river and it is

recorded in Chinese annals that they were built to ward off pirates. It will thus be seen that as the French fleet steamed up the river there was only a moment or two when any one ship was in danger from any one Fort. Armed junk boats comprising the Chinese fleet were stationed at Waga Anchorage at the mouth of the river and off Kwangtan to meet any French units navigating the South Channel. Both these squadrons engaged the French, but it was a futile effort. On hearing the news that the French fleet had silenced the lower forts, routed both the defending squadrons and were proceeding through the second narrow below Pagoda Anchorage, the City officials sank junk laden with stores across the river at Kushan Point. This was an effective barrier which the French did not attempt to force. Instead they set to work to completely demolish the dockyard with its surrounding fortifications.

By the treaty of peace the following year France's protectorate over Annam and Tongking was recognised by China.

Ten years later the lower forts had been re-modelled in thick concrete and equipped with Krupp coast artillery. Machinery had also been established at the Upper Bridge arsenal, situated on the river above the City, for manufacturing the big shells these coastal weapons required.

In 1941 these modernised defence works were bombarded from vessels lying off the coast and captured by Japanese forces attacking from the unprotected rear.

Finance And Bankers

The period between 1875-80 witnessed a score or more of foreign banks either established or represented at Fochow, in addition to which there were three score reputable Chinese Native Banks. These figures for a City then of possibly 2,000,000 inhabitants appear incredible; but it was so.

Actually there were many more Chinese Native Banks. If it were possible to define the word banking it would permit a closer estimate of the number, for these concerns developed out of small beginnings, in most cases cash or exchange shops which were either a family affair or a partnership made up of a small group of friends. I have only counted the larger local establishments and included branches of Shanghai houses, all of whom were established in inter-provincial trade long before the advent of alien traders.

The various forms of currency that have been adopted in China are too well-known to be set out here; but I should like to refer to paper money and a very interesting custom connected therewith enjoyed by Chinese Native Banks at Fochow in particular.

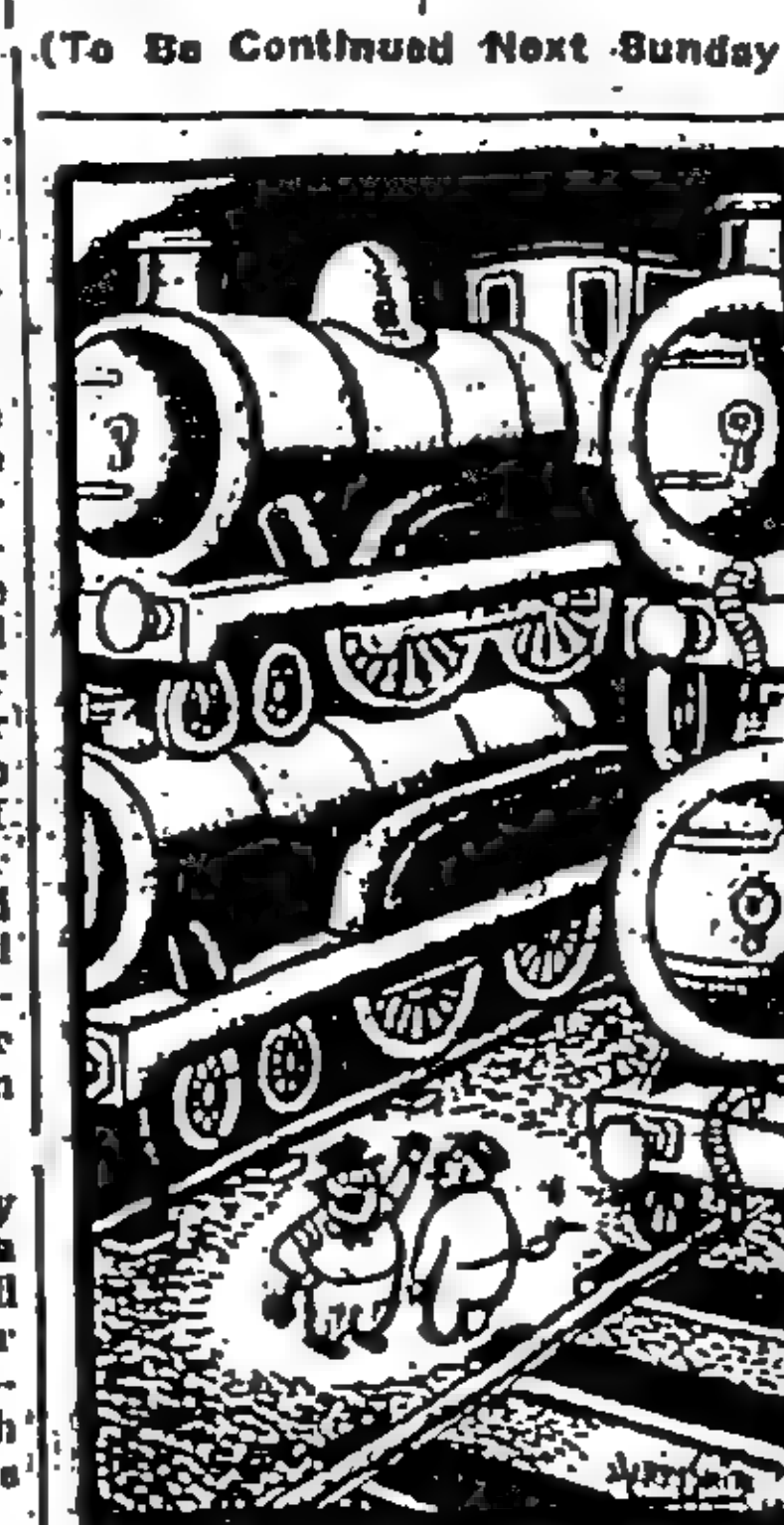
The appearance of paper money in China dates back to the Tang Dynasty (AD 620-907) which had 20 rulers for its duration of 287 years, and this form of currency may be traced to the reign of Emperor Hien Tsung (AD 960-975) when it appears there was a chronic shortage of copper money, throughout the realm which was situated the Government issuing certificates of deposits, named "Fochow" ("Filing money"). In exchange for coin, which the public found very convenient and so became part of the circulation. These certificates could be cashed in the capital of every province, thus embodying the characteristic of a banknote. The Sung Dynasty

followed and about AD 960 there appeared a new paper issue named "Fochow" ("Filing money"). Originally intended as "instruments of inter-provincial transfer for the convenience of merchants who deposited metallic money," which latter was issued "purposely for general circulation." The history of banknotes in China is very long and varied. The foregoing note reveals the origin of Chinese paper money and the very interesting fact that already in those remote times the Government understood the technique of the skillful handling of paper issues.

When the Manchus came into power, establishing their Ta Ching dynasty (AD 1644-1911), an abortive attempt was made during 1644 to issue paper currency. However, during the Taping Rebellion (1850-54) the issue of paper had once more to be resorted to as a means of raising revenue. These notes were issued in denominations of one to 50 taels of silver and from 500 to 2,000 cash of copper. In 1861 these notes were only worth 3 per cent of their face value and ultimately were repudiated. From this date there is sufficient evidence to show that private banks, pawnshops, exchange shops and other shops, the multitude in the interior of the country, bestowed upon themselves the privilege of issuing their own paper at their own particular districts. In this manner the Chinese Banks at Fochow for many many years up to about 1900 made use of an undecorated privilege to issue talen banknotes representing the local dollar as the equivalent of 1,000 copper cash; a privilege which has often abused with disastrous results. These notes were exchanged at the close of cash business days, in the same manner as cheques are cleared, and in case an issuing bank could not at once redeem by silver or gold it would ask for an interest-bearing loan from the presenting bank.

(To Be Continued Next Sunday)

"Parking them on Sundays is quite a problem!"



You Just Go On And On And On

By J. H. HORROCKS

Just back from the jungle, describes the conditions under which British troops are to-day operating against 7,000 Chinese and Malay bandits.

The luminous dial of my watch under the mosquito net showed exactly two o'clock when the tall Guards duty officer entered the tent, nudged me and said: "It's time, sir. We leave in half an hour, you'll just about make it...."

I was dead tired, too. I had had little sleep in the previous week, having taken part in a number of similar patrols without seeing a single bandit. The previous day I had flown into Kuala Lumpur and had made the road journey to the headquarters of the Coldstream Guards at Tapan—14 miles of zig-zagging, narrow tracks, perfect for an ambush.

For the last two hours—the only time I had had for sleep—a fierce tropical storm had been trying to tip my tent in halves. Now the air was cool. The thermometer registered 82 (which, for this time of the year in Malaysia, is reasonable).

I dressed, shaved in the dark, and joined the young men who were sitting off on a five-day patrol of an area where bandits were reported in small numbers.

My programme allowed me only 12 hours with them, for I had planned to link up the following day with other units 200 miles away.

The patrol was checked at exactly 2.30 a.m. water bottles were filled with tepid water. We mounted jeeps and lorries, and started a 15-mile road journey to the rendezvous.

A halt, and then Eastwards into the jungle. The stars were bright, yet it took several minutes to get accustomed to the darkness. The Southern Cross was behind us, sinking into the tops of the tall trees.

By dawn we were in thick jungle, and the noises of the night—peculiar yet familiar by this time—had subsided.

In single file, with rifles and Sten guns loaded and at the ready we passed a number of small hutments. We checked the occupants, tried to memorise their faces, looked at their identity cards.

Further along the jungle path we stopped a party who were evacuating another site. Their story, told to us through an interpreter, sounded convincing, and they move on.

Seven miles we travelled...the sun was up; it was getting hot, humid, uncomfortable...a charge halted. Primitive camp was struck, bamboos were slashed and temporary shelters made in less than two hours.

These small camps, hurriedly built by the troops are not sufficient to keep off the tropical storms, but afford some protection at night and provide shelter from the hot sun during the day. They cannot keep out

the jungle pests—the mosquitoes, bugs, flies, leeches. The leech is the jungle menace. It clings, stings, buries its head into the arm or neck, and can be removed only by using a lighted cigarette. At night, lighted cigarettes are forbidden and the leeches have their way.

Sentries having been posted, search was made for water. Once found, it had to be boiled. One of the Guardsmen miraculously provided tea....

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In the shade, with perspiration streaming down our cheeks, we listened as the officer gave instructions, talked of counter-measures should the camp be attacked. A live bandit was more useful than a dead one.... But if dead, the bandit must be carried back to base for identification purposes. He might be a leader, and for information on bandit leaders the civilian authorities offer (to civilians only) up to 10,000 Straits dollars (£1,000).

I left the Coldstream patrol and, through open clearings unprotected from the stinging rays of the afternoon sun, returned to base after one of the hottest and most uncomfortable walks in my life.

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Black With Sweat

Some of the jungle areas are beyond description; often the British Tommy operates with his green clothing saturated, almost black with sweat.

One Guards patrol went five weeks with only one change of battle-dress. I have seen others with their much-cursed jungle-boots almost torn off by the undergrowth and seen together again with string in an attempt to keep out the pests.

Troops are advised to carry spare socks. Some of them have entire spare pairs, others have not. Thirty Guardsmen were at one field hospital in Northern Malayan through sickness, foot trouble and malaria. The "needle" hunting is not much fun.

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Holding Hands With Death

By Milton K. Ozaki

We rode without talking until the so-called "temple" of Rani-Ra came into view on the edge of town. It was a large brown, frame building with a wide, imposing entrance, the doorway of which was ornamented with crudely drawn mystic symbols.

I pushed the door open and we walked in. A comely brunette in a black satin robe took our coats and, with a gesture, indicated a room to our right. I took Nancy's arm and led her into it. The room was dimly lighted by a single candle which flickered atop a brass standard.

I stumbled once on the heavy carpet, then guided Nancy to two chairs. We sat there, staring into the gloom at the people about us. I didn't recognise any of them.

A small, slender figure in a flowing white gown drifted through a door and seemed to float toward the centre of the room. The girl's face was thin and drawn, but pretty, and her eyes were closed. The turban which concealed her hair was white, fastened with a single large green stone which gleamed like a great eye in the candle-light. She pivoted in the centre of the room, faced us, became motionless. Scarcely breathing, she stood there several minutes, then her lips began to move. I could hardly catch the words at first, but her voice gradually became stronger and I realised she was uttering some sort of oriental chant. It had a terrific effect upon the women seated near me. Several began to sob, and one of them threw herself to her knees and kissed the hem of the girl's robe.

"Sudi Bey the Oom comes soon," the girl announced in a dreamy tone. "Let those who seek the Knowing One make ready!" Without opening her eyes, she drifted backward to a dark wall and pulled a heavy drape which had obscured a second doorway. "Come!" the girl commanded, her voice deepening to a husky whisper. "Come to the presence of Sudi Bey!"

A gong boomed and the door swung open. Everyone arose and I put my arm around Nancy's waist as we moved toward the second room. There were no lights within and the darkness was impenetrable. I stood in the doorway, hesitating, until someone touched my hand and led me into the darkness. I tightened my arm around Nancy, pulling her with me. Hands pushed me into a chair, and I felt Nancy being guided into a chair beside me.

There was the sound of bodies moving about us, then quiet settled over the room, and I heard nothing except breathing. Abruptly, a soft light began to glow, becoming gradually brighter, and I discerned the figure of a man seated on a carved throne-like chair at the far end of the room. He was dressed entirely in black—turban, robe, shoes—and his round, dark-skinned face seemed in repose. As the light became stronger, his eyes opened and looked at us.

"Greetings, O Sudi Bey!" a voice murmured.

The mystic's lips moved. "There is no God but All—and Mohad is his Prophet."

"Amen!" someone echoed.

"Rani-Ra is the Beloved of Mohad," the mystic intoned, "and this is the temple of the Knowing One! Those seeking the wisdom of All must join their bodies, their souls, and their thoughts. When that has been done, The Call shall come to the faithful."

His eyes slid slowly shut and the lights began to dim. I noticed that our chairs were arranged in a circle facing the throne, and that about a dozen men and women constituted the congregation. They were solemnly joining hands and bowing their heads in prayer. I took the hand of the woman on my right. I couldn't see who she was. By that time the room was black again.

We sat there a long time. Occasionally I caught the faint sound of someone moving, and once the woman whose hand I was holding jerked restlessly. I strained my eyes into the darkness but couldn't see a thing. There was a muffled cough, a sigh, the creak of a chair, but gradually even the sound of breathing disappeared, and the room seemed to be getting bigger, cooler, and emptier.

"Nancy?" I whispered.

"Shh!" Her fingers squeezed mine warningly.

My right hand began to go to sleep. The woman whose hand I held hadn't moved a muscle for minutes. Cautiously, I flexed my fingers, hoping she wouldn't misunderstand. There was no response. Her fingers remained inert within mine, almost as though she were—

A chill touched my spine.

"Nancy!"

"Shh, Bill—!"

"I'm tired of this nonsense!" I said loudly, releasing her hand. I also let go of the woman's hand and felt it drop away from mine, making a faint noise as it struck the side of her chair. "We're getting out of here!"

"Bill, please! You'll—"

I found my cigarette lighter and snapped on its dim flame. It soon went out, but I had seen enough. The circle of chairs was empty. The only person in the room besides Nancy and me, was the strange woman whose hand I held—and her throat had been cut from ear to ear!

CHAPTER II

Nancy screamed. I clicked the lighter frantically, then realised it was out of fluid and began searching my pockets, found a folder of matches, tore two off and struck them together. As soon as they flared, I located the light switch, rushing to it and flipping it.

Nancy was standing in front of the dead woman, her blue eyes wide and one hand pressed against her mouth. "Bill!" she gasped. "It's Stella Lear—and she's dead!"

Fear and anger seized me. Everyone had slipped away and we were alone with a dead woman.

"Don't touch her!" I warned as Nancy leaned toward the corpse. "See if you can find a phone!"

Nancy jerked her hand back. "I've known her for years, Bill. I'll find the phone." She walked from the room as though in a daze.

The murdered woman was sitting in a straight-back chair, arms hanging at her sides and head drooping as though asleep. The gash across her neck was deep and clean, obviously inflicted by an expert with a keen blade. She hadn't been dead long.

I hurried to the end of the room, walking around the throne on which Sudi Bey had sat. It was nothing but a large box with a Morris chair atop it, the whole draped with black cloth. But where had everyone gone?

I strode to the walls, began pulling drapery aside and, on the rear wall, I found a door leading into another large room. I groped for the light switch, found it. The room was carpeted but, except for a small pile of cushions in one corner, was bare of furnishing.

I jerked open another door, another, and another. All the rooms were large, thickly carpeted—and deserted. A feeling of urgency possessed me. They were here somewhere! They simply hadn't evaporated. Seeing a stairway

leading to the second floor, I ran to it and was starting up when I heard Nancy calling.

"Bill! Oh, Bill! Where are you?"

"Back here!" I shouted.

I realised suddenly that the draps which concealed the first door had probably fallen back into place and, impatiently, I retraced my steps and opened the door. Nancy gave a glad cry and rushed into my arms, trembling as though chilled.

"Oh, Bill!" she sighed. "I thought you'd left me alone with—"

"Did you find the phone?"

"There isn't any."

"Take the car, then, and get the sheriff!" I handed my key-ring to her. "Hurry, dear!"

She ignored the keys. "Why can't we both go?"

"I want to see if anyone is upstairs."

"Why?"

"Can't you see what a spot we're in? What do you think the sheriff is going to say when he finds out I was holding her hand when she was killed?"

"Bill, you weren't!"

"I sure was," I said. "I felt her jerk once, but that's all. That must have been when it happened. But, for all I know, maybe someone made a mistake in the darkness. Maybe I was supposed to be the victim!"

"But, why?"

"I don't know," I threw up my hands. "But I do know there were at least a dozen other people here a few minutes ago—and now they're gone, without a sound and trace!"

"They're... gone?"

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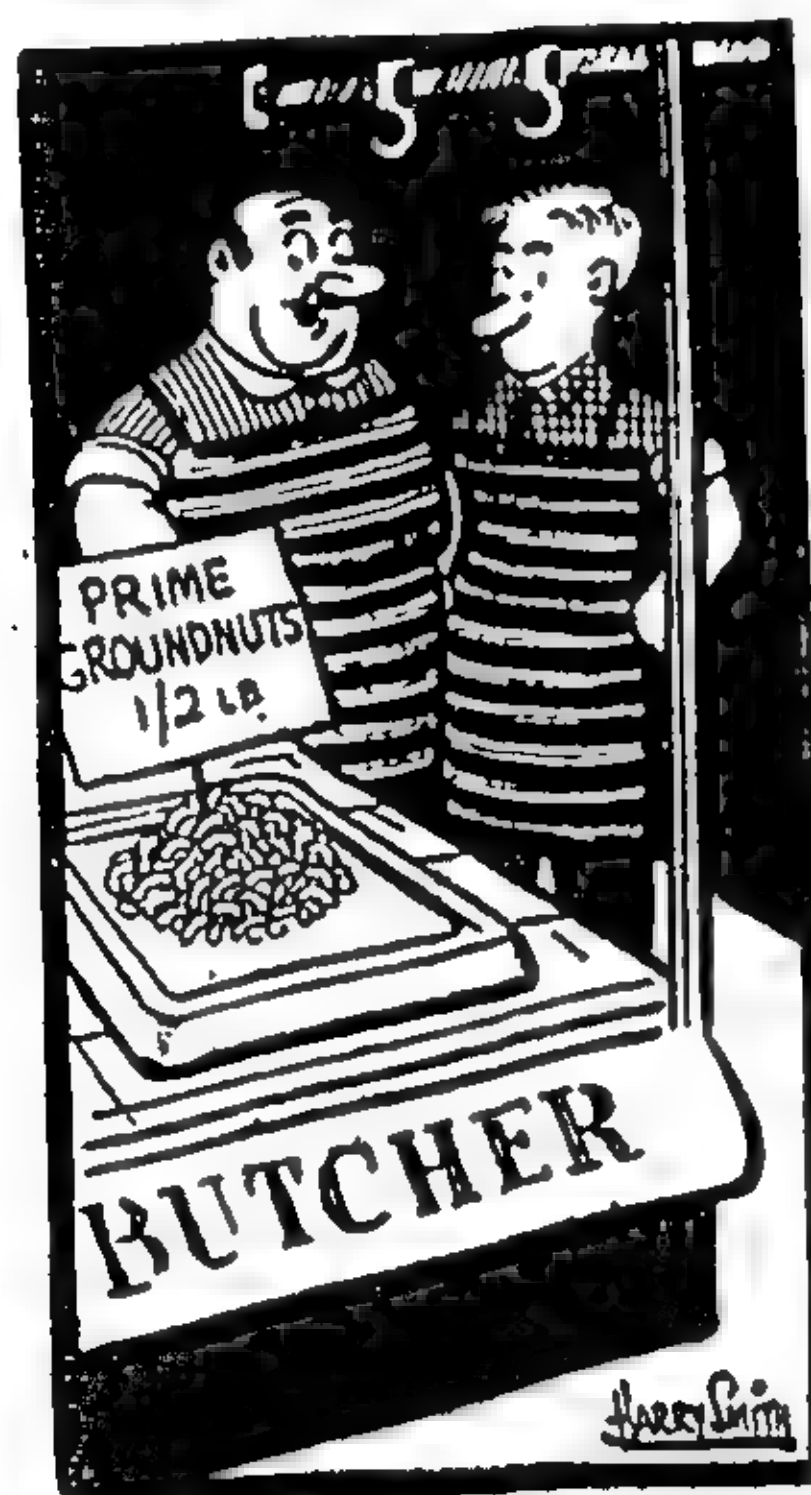
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ANTIQUE RECORDINGS

There is a fascination, an element of pride of possession in securing a first-edition of, say, Dickens or Thackeray. By the same token, there is an element of pride in possessing some records of some of the famous singers and artists of a by-gone age.

I do not concede—and I have said this before—that the Golden Age (so called) was productive of any better operatic artists and singers than is the case nowadays. The adherents of the former theory quote the de Reszke Brothers, Patti, Nilsson, Tancredo, De Luca, Homer, Galli-Curci, Mary Garden and many others as being quite unsurpassed by any singers of today. Is this so? I quote but a few names which spring readily to mind—Giannini, Lemnitz, Cebotari, Berger, Caniglia, Gigli, Ralf, Bjorling, Schlotz, Schoeffler, Teschmascher, Wittlich and Perrias. I stop here, since it is no place of mine to catalogue all the famous present-day singers. But suffice it that these few names alone can hold their own—and more—with any of the fabulous legendary figures of the Victorian era.

In the early part of the present century, Edison invented the first phonograph, thus setting in train one of the largest of the world's industries (believe it or not!), the production of gramophone records. Although the perfection of recording music, whether by voice or instrument, was probably not reached until the early 1930's or so, nevertheless Edison's pioneer efforts have left us many reminders of great artists. From this point of view alone, it is good that such examples do exist, even though the technical deficiencies of the recording apparatus give but a poor idea of the true talent.

In the early days of recording, the recording was made acoustically, whereas now, of course, electrical recording is the only accepted means. The artist sang into a large tin funnel, whilst the vibrations of his voice actuated a needle which caused impressions to be made on the matrix. Later, this matrix, or master record, is used to manufacture the actual records.

Fantastic Prices

Of these early recordings, Caruso's and Galli-Curci's are still to be had quite easily, whilst some of McCormack's pre-electric pressings are still listed in the H.M.V. catalogues. There are those who collect such records for the sake of possession, and indeed some of the rarer records of great operatic stars of the so-called "Golden Age" fetch fantastic prices among connoisseurs.

I possess one or two such of Caruso and McCormack, but cannot help feeling that such pressings would be better withdrawn. As inanimate curios, they are certainly valuable, but as records, they give but little idea of the true beauty of the voice of the artist. Apart from the nasal quality of the voice, the orchestral accompaniments sound terrible.

Before the War, H.M.V. made some very interesting experiments with old Caruso recordings. The old pre-electric record was played over and re-recorded by modern methods. Then the orchestra was eliminated (for which much thanks!) and a new accompaniment super-imposed on to the sound-track of the voice. There can be no doubt this experiment proved highly successful, the result being something like an adequate representation of Caruso's voice. For some reason, this idea was not pursued very far; possibly this may have been due to the purists, who argued that a policy of "let well alone" should be observed.

Today, of course, the technique of recording has reached a near perfection as is humanly possible. The piano and organ particularly have always proved difficult to record satisfactorily. Probably because of the resonance and the "after-echo" of the organ (I refer to the legitimate organ and not the saccharine wheezes of the Cinema hurdy-gurdy), there was an unsatis-

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factory element about such pressings until about 1935. By dint of much patience and experiments, however, the recording engineers gradually solved this problem, and present recordings are notable for their faithful reproduction of this particular instrument.

Interesting Process

The actual recording of music is a very interesting process to watch and I was lucky enough to see and hear Yehudi Menuhin record the Elgar Violin Concerto for E.M.V. at their Hayes studios in Middlesex before the War. The position of each section of the orchestra is first carefully determined in order to preserve a perfect balance of sound. The Brass Section is placed furthest away from the microphone, with percussion at the back. Strings and wood-wind are positioned at the front, since the carrying-capacity of their volume is less than in the other sections of the orchestra.

The soloist takes his place in front, and the microphone adjusted carefully. As the Concerto began, red lights were switched on round the studio to denote that actual recording. Several experiments had previously been made, and varying positions and volumes tried so as to achieve a result as nearly perfect as possible.

All during the performance engineers and technicians were constantly adjusting the apparatus to ensure a maximum fidelity of reproduction. This picture is indeed a different affair from the early days. Progress in this respect has been a remarkable thing, and the strides that have been made in the last 30 years or so quite astonishing.

The gramophone today is spoilt completely in that he has the possibility of perfect reproduction at his fingertips. Whether the next decade will see further innovations, I do not know; probably the next step will be the commercial marketing of long-playing records, so that a whole work can be heard by the mere turning-over of one record. The R.C.A. Victor Co. are already making progress with this feature.

SUNDAY

Although I usually devote space on the Sunday evening programmes almost exclusively to the Symphony Concert, I am going to find space to mention an additional feature this week. At 8.15 p.m. there is to be for 15 minutes—a recital by Lily Pons, the American coloratura soprano. Her programme includes:—

Alma Mia Handel
- Alessandra Handel
Mireille Waltz Song Gounod

Handel at any time is worth hearing at all costs, and add the voice of Lily Pons to grace the music—if grace be needed—and you have a programme of unusual interest.

Known better in America as the pocket-soprano, Lily Pons is married to Andre Kostelanetz, the orchestra leader and conductor. Some 15 years ago, Lily Pons made her first (and, I believe, only) attempt at a film called "I dream too much". Quite why she has not made more films is something of a mystery, since, allied to her exceptional voice, is a quality of charm which would lead me to suppose that she would have proved photogenic. Apparently not, however, since I do not recall any more films other than this one.

At 9.45 p.m. the Sunday evening Symphony Concert comes on the air, when the programme is to be:—
Symphony No. 2 in D. Minor

—Sibelius
Ballade for Piano & Orchestra
—Faure

(Soloist: Kathleen Lang)

Garden of Faud Bax
There is little doubt that Sibelius' name will go down in history as one of the greatest of 20th century composers. His technique is closely allied with the classic masters such as Beethoven, Brahms and Schubert. He concedes little to popular taste, the outstanding characteristic of his compositions being a forthright honesty of conception. Although it would be untrue to describe his music as difficult of absorption, nevertheless a first hearing requires finer concentration if the full import of his music is to be adequately appreciated.

Faure's Ballade is a composition typical of the French School, written not so much in concerto-form as in grand chamber-music style, with the pianoforte being given every prominence. It is a charming "miniature-concerto," if one is allowed this rather contrary description.

Sir Arnold Bax's suite "Garden of Faud" had its debut (if my memory is correct) at the Proms, in the early 1930's. It is essentially a tone-poem written in such form as to illustrate most clearly the composer's mastery of the technique of orchestration.

MONDAY

At 9.10 p.m. Concerto Hour—another well-established feature which I hope will not lamentably fade away too soon—brings a performance of Beethoven's No. 2 Pianoforte Concerto. The soloist is Arthur Schnabel, with the London Philharmonic Orchestra conducted by Sir Malcolm Sargent.

Beethoven's first and second concertos appear to derive from Mozart and Haydn, although this statement must not be construed as constituting the slightest aspersion of any plagiarism. It is the case, however, that up to the publication of the 3rd Concerto, Beethoven appeared to be treading carefully, and eschewed any great departure from the classic traditions of his predecessors. The gentle opening movement succeeded by a noble forte, in the second is a typical Mozartian conception.

TUESDAY

I have little space left except barely to mention that at 9.55 p.m. there is to be a performance of Brahms Trio in A for Piano, Clarinet and Cello.

WEDNESDAY

British Concert Hall Series tonight brings performances of:—
Overture in D Handel
Suite No. 3 Carmen Bizet
Symphony No. 4 Vaughan Williams

SATURDAY

The opera which commences tonight is Puccini's "La Boheme," when Acts I & II will be heard. I hope to find space to say more about this, and Puccini's music in general, in next week's notes.

GENERAL KNOWLEDGE
ANSWERS

1. Sir George Downing, an ambassador under Cromwell.
2. Daddy Long-legs.
3. Deo Optimo Maximo.
4. Cadmus.
5. Scotland.
6. Earl Godwin.

NEWS QUIZ ANSWERS

1. The Empire Hall, Adelaide.
2. Charles Skouras, the cinema magnate.
3. Betty Grable.
4. Leeds.
5. Thailand.
6. Sigrid Undset.

AT MY TYPEWRITER...



Hong Kong is a most interesting place to stay in at present, for you meet all kinds of people of different nationalities and in this way you can learn the customs and ways of other races.

I'm also glad that my club is getting larger every day, but there's one way I should like you to help me, and that is whenever you send in an entry form to become a H. C. C. (Herald Companion's Club) Member, will you please mark in brackets next to your name the word "Miss" if you're a girl, or "Master" if you're a boy. In this way I will be able to distinguish whether you're a boy or a girl. Lately I've addressed some of you wrongly and that's most embarrassing for me.

Well, you must understand it's hard for me to know all the names of people who are now here, since there so many different nationalities. Please remember that, won't you?

I will appreciate it so much if you help me. Thank you.
Happy days to you all, from

There are some words whose letters can be changed round to make other words — anagrams, they are called. Here an seven such words, the first to show how it's done, the other six for you to do.

ACT into an animal	CAT
LUMP into a fruit
PEAS into monkeys
AMID into a girl
START into pies
WOLF into a chicken
TAN into an insect

CAT

Girls' Competition Winners

Will the following 12 girls please come up to the office and collect their purses on Monday:--
Winifred Lyen of 10, Tai Po Road, Top floor, Kowloon, Norcen Sargent of 357B, Prince Edward Road, Kowloon, Dorothy Jones of 540, The Peak, Hong Kong, Lolita Gutierrez of 2, Ma Tau Chung -- Eastern Camp, Kowloon, N.Y. Cheung of 24, Yick Yam Street, Happy Valley, 2nd floor, Hong Kong, Jeanne Pander of Flat 21, Macdonnell Road, St.

Joan's Court, Hong Kong. Law
Laang Mui of 27, Caroline Hill
Road, 1st floor, Hong Kong, Bar-
bara Willey of 8, Stanley Terrace,
Top floor, Hong Kong. Eleanor
Wilkinson of 37, Nathan Road,
Top floor, Kowloon. Barbara
Souza of 30, Ashley Road, ground
floor, Kowloon. Eva Markar of
167, Wong-neichong Road, ground
floor, Hong Kong and Ng Si
Lung of 36, Ice House Street,
1st floor, Hong Kong.

Congratulations to you all.

Auntie Vee

I wonder how many animal you know. They must be animals names you know. There are all you know. Some of animals, some that are the most names sent in will fierce and some that are timid. There will be two first and there are some we can keep prizes of \$3, and six consolation as pets prizes of \$2 each.

You must know quite a lot of Neatness will count too, so be animals' names, so for this week's careful to send in a clean and tidy competition it's going to be some-entrer.

thing different and I don't think Enclose also the slip below and we've ever tried it. address it to Auntie Vee, Chil-

What I want you to do is todren's Herald, Windsor House, write down all the animals' names Hong Kong.

NAME _____

ADDRESS

AGE

My Grandmother's clock
Goes tick tick tock.
It does that all the day
I wonder if it gets to play
More and more each day.
I think I'd say it never plays.
I know it's true—
It never plays.

Here are jumbled names of sea-creatures. Think you can sort them all out? Well, for the answers just turn the page upside down.

(1) Plucoso, (2) Ylclj-Hall, (3) Siwura, (4) Psporio, (5) Lhaew, (6) Khsra, (7) Dwroa-FhsI, (8)

I'm thankful for the dew,
I'm thankful I live in a free land,
I'm thankful I can shake a
friendly hand.
I'm thankful for a kind mother,
father and teacher,
I'm thankful for a preacher.
I'm thankful for this bright new
day,
I'm thankful for the kind things
I think, do, or say.

Jumbled Words Answers

Honour certificate to Averil Maddocks aged 13, of 3 Jubilee Buildings, Shum Shui Po, Kowloon.





By Roy Crane

BUZ SAWYER



WORLD SPOTLIGHT

Etzie, the 80-year-old she elephant of the Rio zoo, is dead. She had been ill for some time, and once she was so weak she fell down and could not get up again.

Because she could only understand English, in a country where everybody speaks Portuguese, she could not understand what was happening to her. Nor could she understand what that big iron arm with the huge dangling chain was for.

It was a crane to put her back on her feet again. Her legs were so weak from her illness she could no longer lift her six and a half ton weight.

Soon the zoo will have two elephants to take her place. Two ten-year-old ones were bought in Calcutta and are on their way to Rio now. They are very tame and have already been trained to carry children on their backs and trunks.

But before they can take Etzie's place, they will have to learn a new trick—one that Etzie did and which was everybody's favorite.

Etzie, in an apron, would sit down at a table. A waiter would bring her bread, some bananas and a bottle of lemonade.

She would eat and drink these with great dignity. Then she would reach into her apron pocket with her trunk and take out a big metal disc which was supposed to be money, and pay the waiter.

With a gracious gesture of her trunk she would wave away the change—a tip for the waiter. (From Jane Braga, Rio de Janeiro).

Alice is a monkey nobody loves.

A few days ago an amateur photographer bought her in a Chicago poultry shop. Perhaps the chickens disoriented her a little, for when her new owner took her home she promptly bit him.

The enraged owner went to hospital to get some repairs done, and on his return took Alice out for a ride to a convenient lake, shot her with a .22 pistol and pushed her in the water.

Two days later Alice turned up on the outskirts of the town with a slight flesh wound in her shoulder and electrified two telephone repairmen in a passing truck by making the conventional signal of the hitch-hiker.

One of the repair men fortunately knew a thing or two about monkeys. He stopped the truck, grabbed a piece of chocolate cake. A moment later he hoisted Alice, munching contentedly, into the truck.

At a nearby police station, the recent owner of the meandering monkey informed the police with some asperity that he had disposed of her once and that was enough. So Alice, with police escort, was conveyed to the lost dog department.

Here she is living a life of quiet luxury in a private cage with a steady diet of bananas. (From Kay Murray New York).

Jay Silverheels, the young Hollywood film star, has the most original autograph collection in the world. He has kept a copy of the story of each film he has acted in, and had it signed by every actor and actress who played a part in it.

Jay's latest role was that of a young Mohawk Indian in the film "Drums Along the Mohawk". This role came naturally to him, because he is a full-blooded Mohawk himself, and was born and brought up on the Six Nations Red Indian Reserve at Oshweken, Canada.

Jay is proud to be the only Canadian film star in Hollywood. He is equally proud of his Indian name: "Silverheels," which the Chiefs of his tribe awarded to him for skill and speed at the old Indian game of Lacrosse. (From Patrick Nicholson, Ottawa)

SWIFT JUSTICE

Sam Doyler stood looking at the gems on display in the window of the jewellery store. He was broke and was silently debating whether to raise money by honest or not honest methods. Suddenly, something snapped in his mind. He raced to his apartment and got out his revolver. Then he got a mask ready.

When he went into the store, Sam pulled out his gun and said, "This is a stick-up. Get into the corner." Sam's next move was to cut the telephone wires and tie the cashier. Then he began to collect the gems in his handkerchief. Doyler swiftly returned to his apartment and searched for a hiding place.

Now Sam kept a few sacks of flour in his room, together with a regular arsenal, for he was wanted by the police and was prepared to fight it out when they caught up to him. His landlady harboured many crooks in her house.

The sacks now came in handy, for Sam opened them and hid some jewels in each sack. Then he went down into the street, certain that the cashier of the store would not recognise him, for he had his mask on when he went into the shop to rob.

It so happened that his landlady ran out of flour. She remembered that Sam kept a few sacks of flour, so up she went to borrow a little for dinner. When Sam came back for his dinner he saw a big cake on the table. Smacking his lips he down and began to eat. All of a sudden he could not breathe.

The landlady rushed to telephone the doctor, but before the doctor arrived Sam Doyler master crook died by his own deeds. The doctor found a piece of green jade stone in his throat and identified it that belonged to the jeweller.

The landlady was so frightened that she reformed and her house now keeps proper tenants.

Honour certificate to Rayburn Lim of 15, Cameron Road, Kowloon.

MY DAY

When morning comes to bid me rise,
I rub the slumber from my eyes,
And from my bed I jump to see,
What joys the day has brought to me.

I've lots of things to do each day,
To live the happy healthy way,
That work and play is splendid fun,
In doing things that should be done.

My teeth to clean, my hair to brush,
My breakfast eaten without rush,
Then work at school and when that's done,
Games in the open are such fun.

Early to bed and early to rise,
Will make me healthy, happy and wise,
My mother always says so,
Each night at seven to bed I go.

Honour certificate to S. A. Rams, of 62, Jardine Bazaar, 1st floor, Hong Kong.

The Cat And The Tree

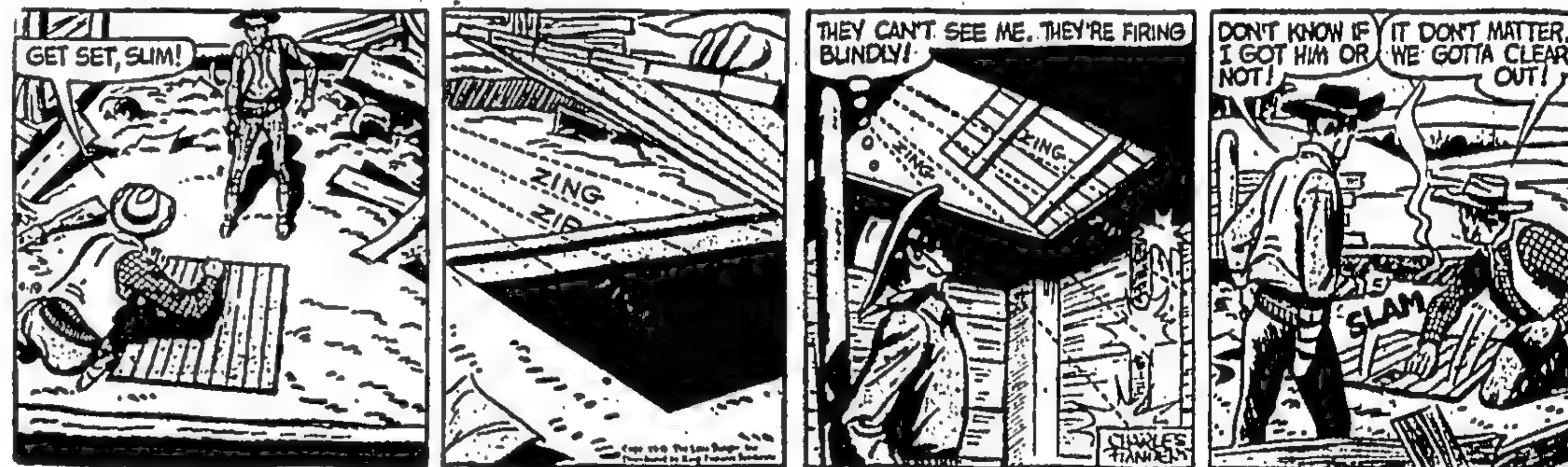
Mickey's cat is up a tree,
Which is sixty feet and three,
Each day he climbs up eleven,
Every night he comes down again.

Tell me if he stops,
Or when he reached the top.

Honour certificate to Winsan Salleh, of 7, Morrison Hill Road, ground floor, Hong Kong.

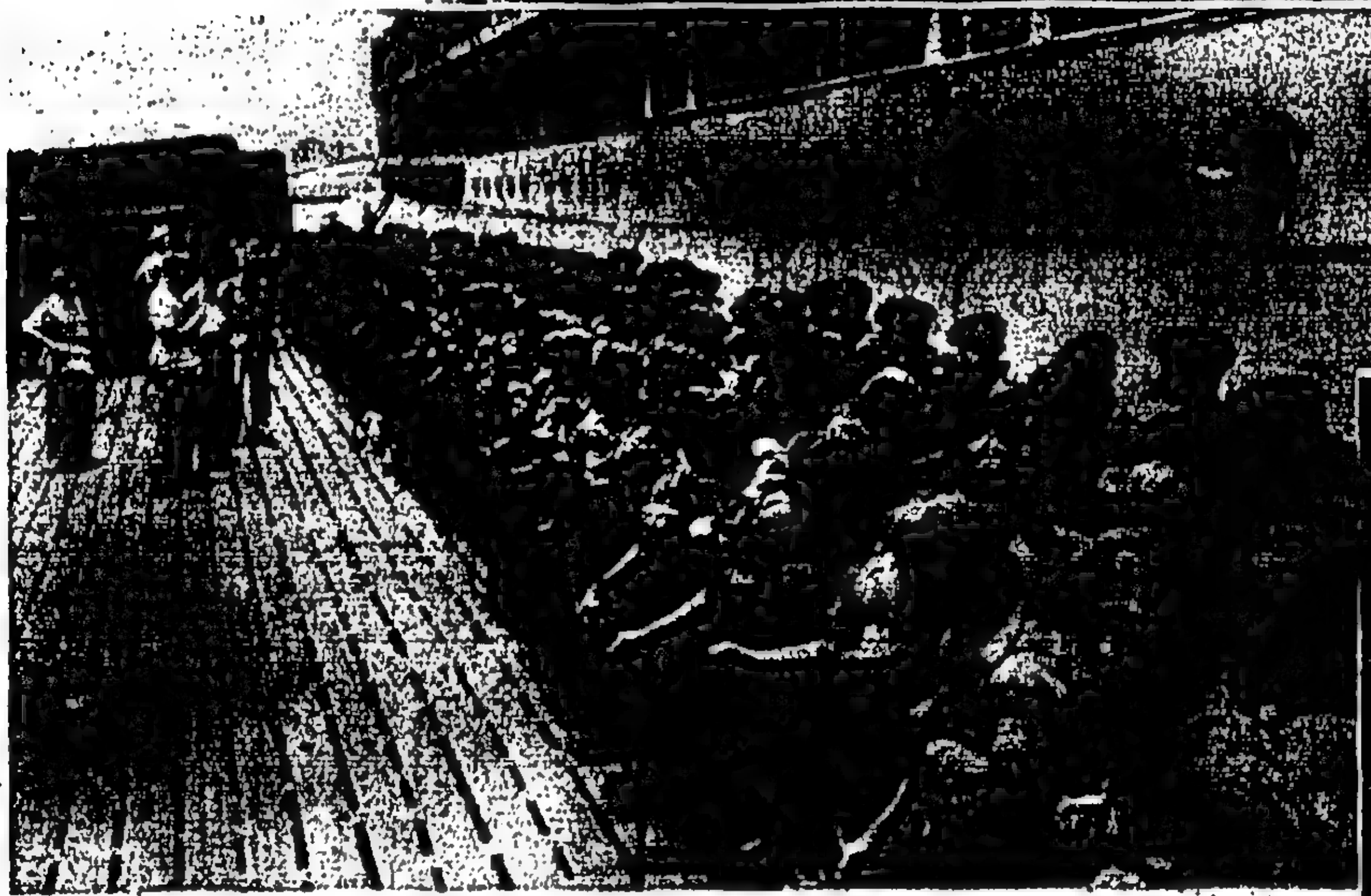
THE LONE RANGER

By Fran Striker



SUNDAY HERALD Pictorial

Members of the 91st Squadron, RAF, Malaya, are shown after disembarking here. They are reinforcements for the Colony's defences and are stationed at Kai Tak. ("China Mail" photo)



Troops from Malaya line up after their recent arrival in the Colony. The troops included personnel from the 91st Squadron, RAF, Malaya and several detachments of Gurkhas. ("China Mail" photo)

Major General F.R.G. Mathew, GOC, is shown here with Captain P.G.L. Cazalet, DCO, DSC, at the farewell cocktail party held on board HMS London, shortly before the ship left the Colony. ("China Mail" photo)



Guests enjoy a drink and a cool breeze on the quarterdeck of HMS London at a recent cocktail party held on board. ("China Mail" photo)



Guests are shown entering Government House to meet the Governor, Sir Alexander Grantham, and Lady Grantham, on the occasion of the King's birthday. ("China Mail" photo)

Group picture at a recent farewell party for Mr. Henry T. Samson (fourth from left), South China Director of the Economic Co-operation Administration, given at the Jacobean Room, Hong Kong Hotel, by Mr. James J. Brennan (centre), of the Civil Air Transport. ("China Mail" photo)



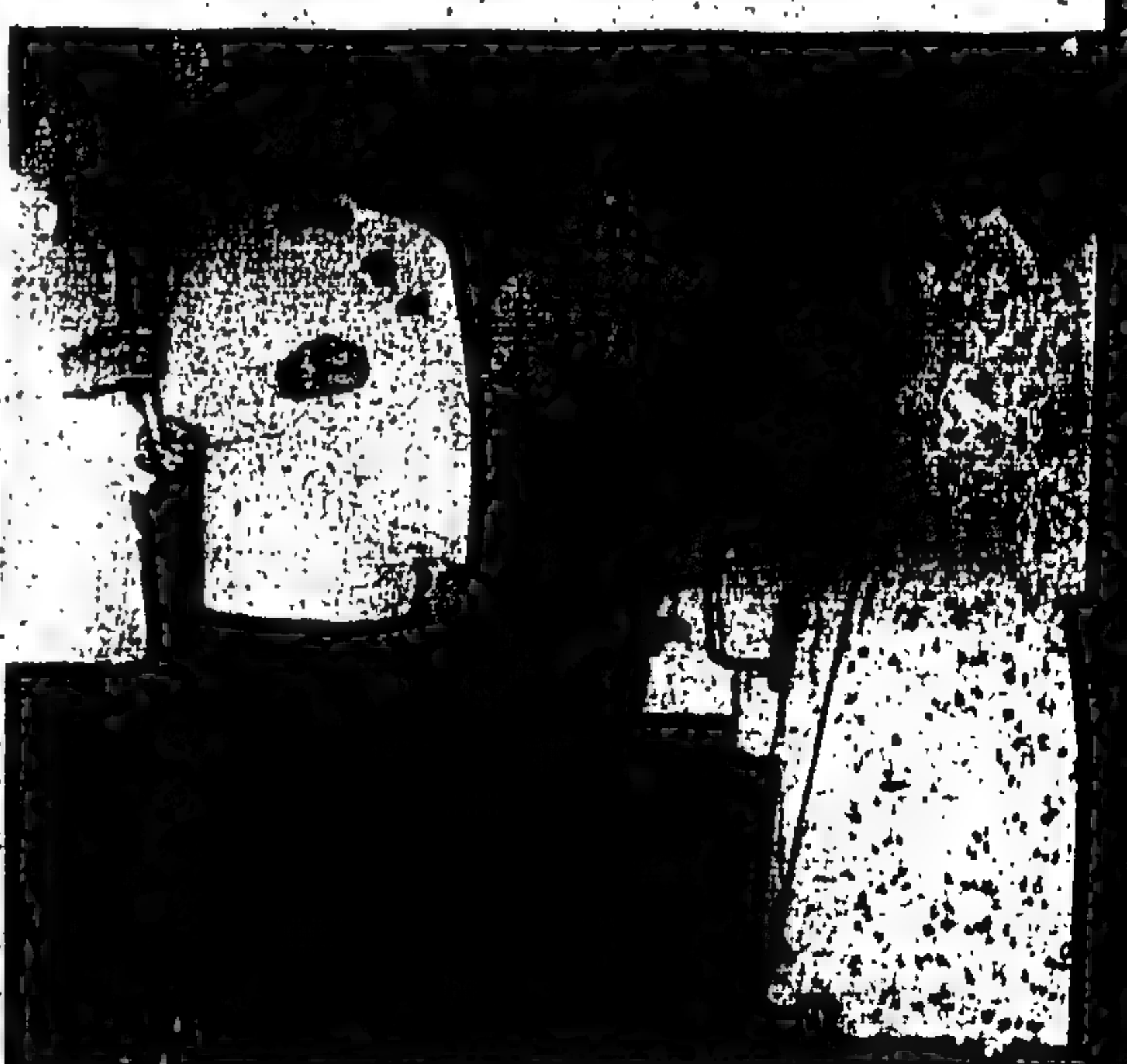
A group picture at the recent party at Government House to mark the King's birthday ("China Mail" photo)



Guests are having a wonderful time at the recent farewell party for Mr. Henry T. Samson, ECA Director for South China, Mr. Samson departs after a three-year stay in China. ("China Mail" photo)



The entrance of Government House and some of the guests who attended a party in honour of the King's birthday. ("China Mail" photo)



Another picture taken at the farewell party for Mr. Henry T. Samson, South China Director for ECA. ("China Mail" photo)



Well party for Mr. Henry
ed for the United States
photo)



These were the prizes presented to the win-
ners of the Inter-School swimming competition
held recently at the Chung Shing Bathing Club.
("China Mail" photo)



T. Samson, outgoing
photo)



Guests at the recent farewell party held for
Mr. Henry T. Samson, ECA South China Director,
at the Jacobean Room, Hong Kong Hotel. The
party was given by Mr. James J. Brennan. ("China
Mail" photo)

Officials of the Merchant
Navy Club pose outside the
Club House after the opening
of the recreation centre for
merchant seamen. ("China
Mail" photo)

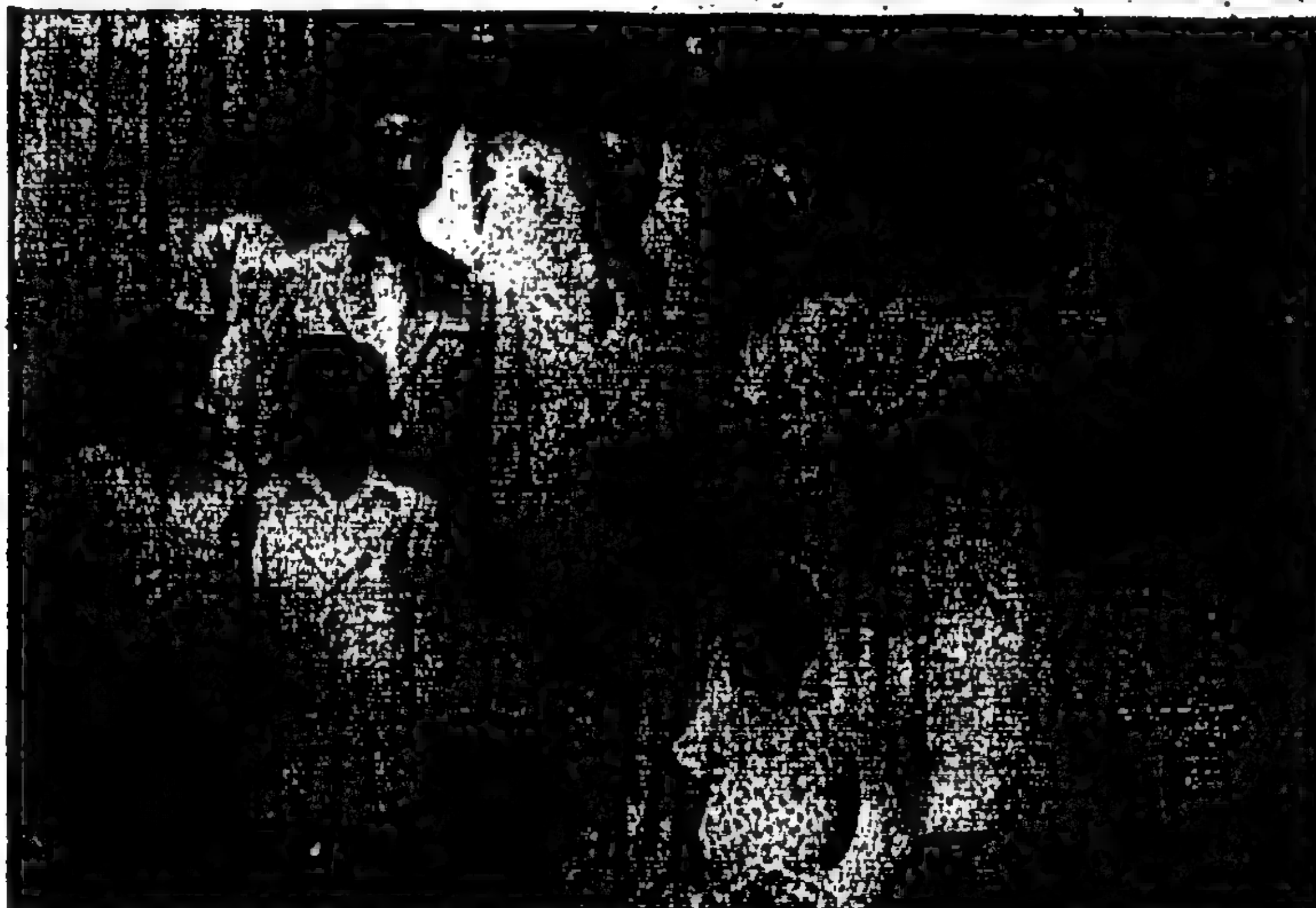
General view of the new
air-conditioned Third Court at
the Supreme Court. Note the
elaborately hand-carved Royal
Crest above the Bench. ("China
Mail" photo)





Group picture of the staff of the Pui Ching Middle School, Kowloon. ("Main-land" photo)

The staff of Government Stores which recently held a dinner party at the Ying King Restaurant. ("China Mail" photo)



Mr. Wong Wai-lap and Miss Wong Yuen-ching after their wedding earlier this month at the Registrar's Office. ("Sun Ying Ming" photo)

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Tak-ming and their relatives pose for a picture after their recent wedding at St. Margaret's Church. The bride is the former Miss Leung Shui-ying. Mr. Lee is on the staff of the Detective Office, Yau-mati Police Station. ("China Mail" photo)

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THE PHANTOM

By Lee Falk and Ray Moore

The Cat That Waited

One day, a mother cat with two little kittens went into the garden of a beautiful house. The mother cat saw a nest on a tree and climbed the tree, looked into the nest and came down. The kittens asked, "What is inside the nest, dear mother?" The mother answered, "Eggs, dear kittens." "Are eggs good?" asked the kittens. Mother cat replied, "Eggs are good, but birds are better. We will wait." After a month later, the mother cat went with her two little kittens to the garden again and the mother cat climbed up the tree, looked into the nest and then came down again and said to the kittens, "The birds have flown away already." The kittens then said, "O, mother, we should have eaten the eggs at first."

Honour certificate to Beatrice
Day of 15, Chatham Road, ground
floor, Kowloon.

Naughty Jim

Jim was a little boy and he was nine years old. He was a very naughty boy and lived with his mother and father in a very big house.

One day his mother said to him, "Jim you stay at home and keep the house while I go out buy some buns for tea". Now Jim did not want to stay home so he went out to play with his friends.

That day it was a rainy day and the mud was on the street, and what do you think happened to Jim? Why, he slipped and fell on the mud and his pants were dirtied.

When he went home his mother said, "Where have you been?" And when she saw how dirty he was she said in an angry voice, "How did you get so dirty?" Jim had to tell her everything and his mother gave him a sound spanking and that taught Jim a good lesson.

Honour certificate to Juliette
de Souza of 145, Waterloo Road,
Kowloon.

The Reward

One cool evening as I was taking a walk I found a purse in the street. I looked into the purse and there was a mirror, a lot of money and a small booklet which had the address of the owner on it. As soon as I saw this I went quickly to this address to return the purse to the owner. The owner was very glad to see me and gave me a rich reward for being honest and returning the purse to her. It was then getting late so I went home whistling a happy tune, for I was as happy as a lark-since I did something good that day.

Honour certificate to Cynthia
Ozorio of 289, Prince - Edward
Road, Kowloon.

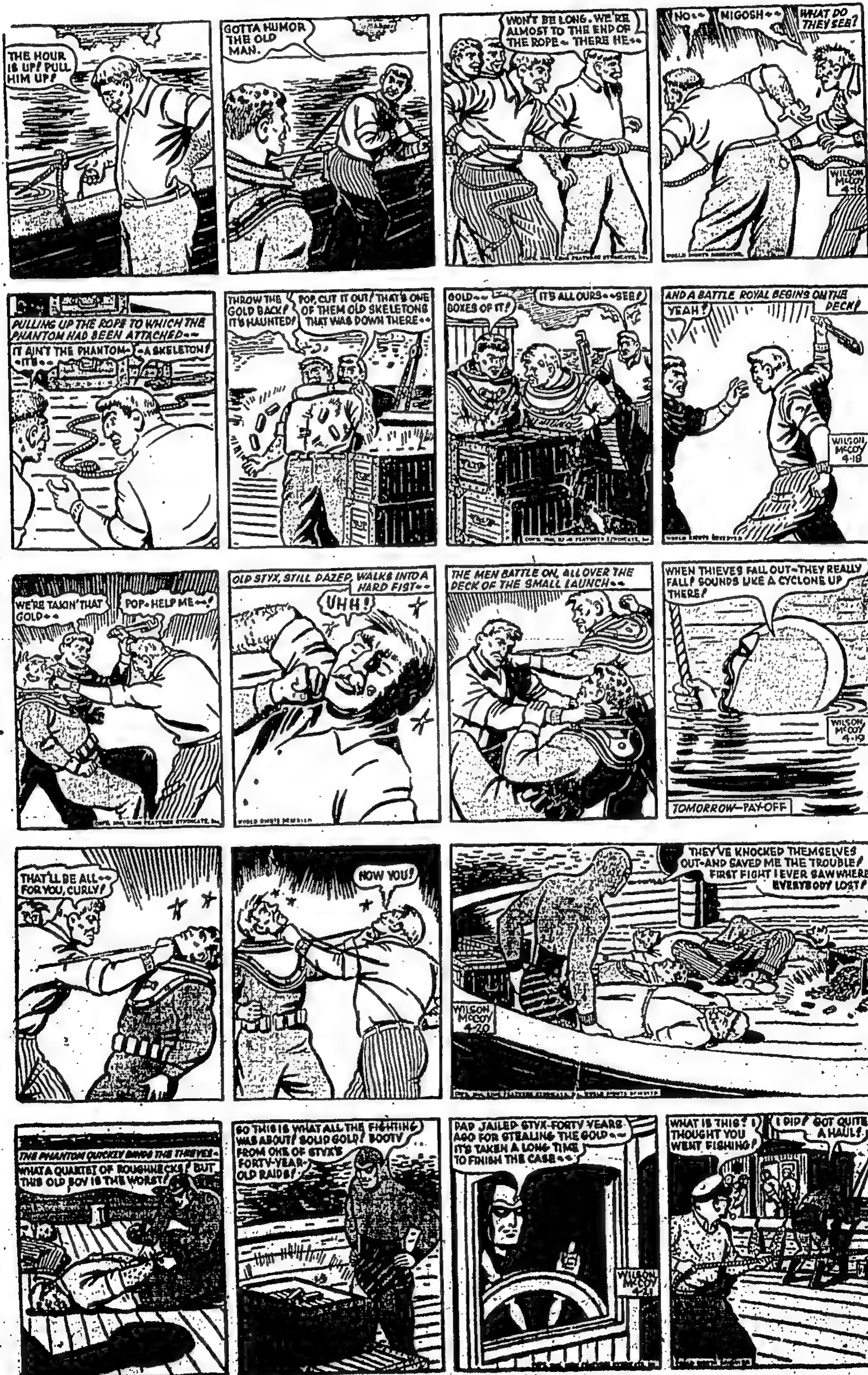
A Lazy Girl

Once there lived a little girl. Her name was Ireno and she was lazy, she never did her home-work and her mother was always scolding and beating her; but she was always the same.

When examination came she failed and when her mother saw it, she was very angry and did not allow Irene to go out not even to the next door.

Irene was so sad that she cried
and cried until her eyes were red
and swollen.

Honour certificate to Colombe
Au of 20A, Ice House Street, To
floor, Hong Kong.



YOUR DREAMS & WHAT THEY MEAN

PACK—This is an omen of the contrary. Business worries will keep you at home.

PANTRY—You will succeed up to a certain point, but will always have obstacles to overcome.

PAPER—To dream of paper is a sign of some coming trouble. If the paper is clean, you will escape with a slight money loss. But if the paper is soiled and dirty, your own questionable action will prove your undoing. If the paper is folded, it denotes some small disappointment.

PARCEL—To dream that you receive a parcel is a very fortunate omen; but if you open it, you may expect a change of circumstances.

PARTY—It is considered a fortunate omen to dream that you are at a party, but it is unfavourable if you yourself give the party; and the smarter the function, the worse the omen.

PEDESTRIAN—It is far more fortunate to be walking in a dream than to be riding.

PENS—News about absent friends.

PEPPER—Talent in your family, particularly if you sniff the pepper till you sneeze.

PILLOW—A clean pillow is a good sign, but if it is soiled and untidy expect troubles of your own making.

PILOT—Cheery scenes and good good times ahead, but you will be defeated by a rival in the end.

PLAINS—To journey over plains signifies material gains but loss of affection of one you care for.

POSTMAN—Some unexpected happening.

POST OFFICE—A change of residence and companions.

PUPPY—An invitation to a jolly party; laugh with the people you meet there but do not become intimate.

The Story That Came True

Wilfrid wasn't a very nice little boy. He liked to frighten children smaller than himself, and he told a lot of stories that were false. Then one day of his stories came true.

Wilfrid went to a boarding-school. It had the biggest, loveliest garden you have ever seen. There were many trees and one of them was hollow.

Now Wilfrid found it and he had kept all his treasures in it and when his mother sent him sweets and fruits he didn't share them with the others, but hid them in the tree.

"This tree will be mine," he thought to himself. "Nobody else must come here." And so he began to tell horrid stories about the tree.

First he told the surprise children in his class that a nasty fox that looked as if it would bite was in the tree, then he said there was a wolf and the wolf had eaten the fox, and now there was a bear.

It so happened that one girl in the class who did not believe his stories and she had a bear skin, so she told the whole class her plans.

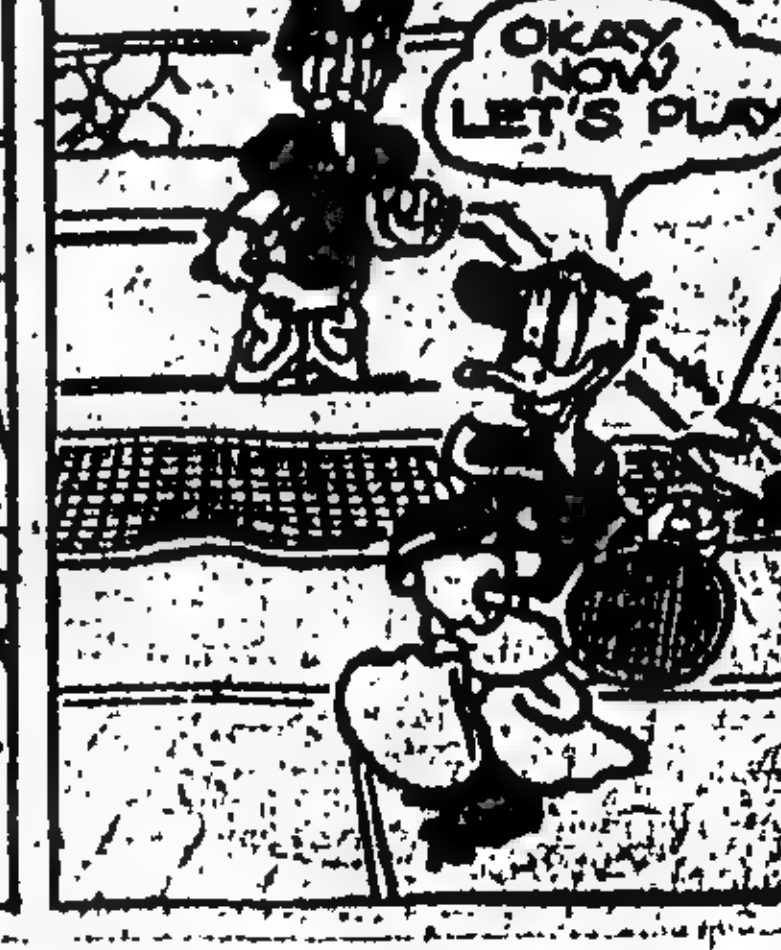
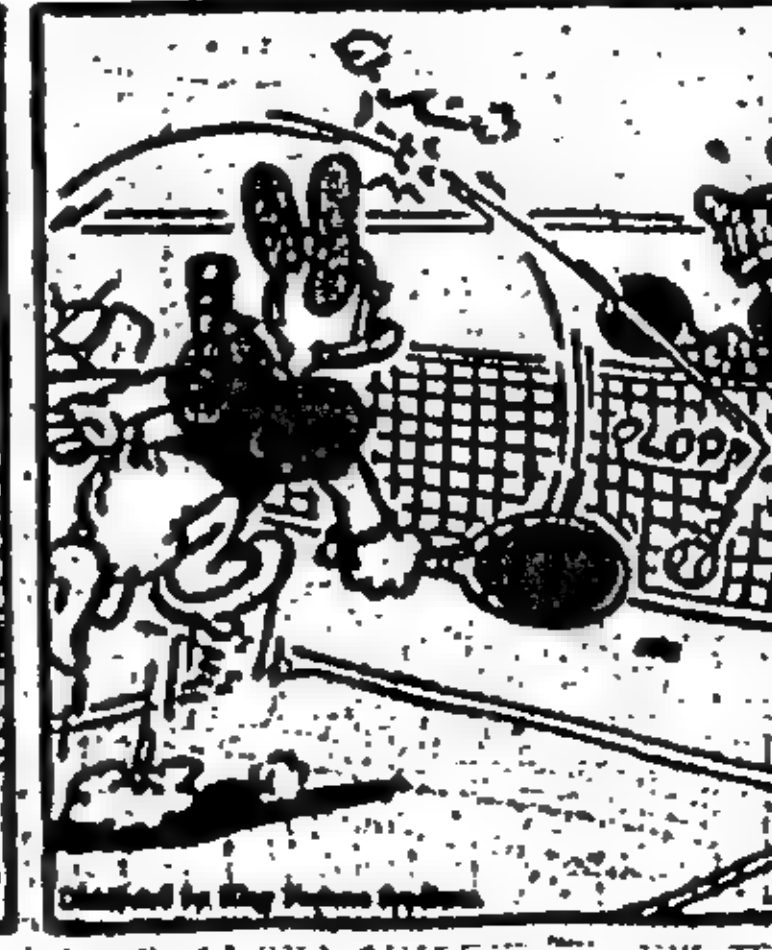
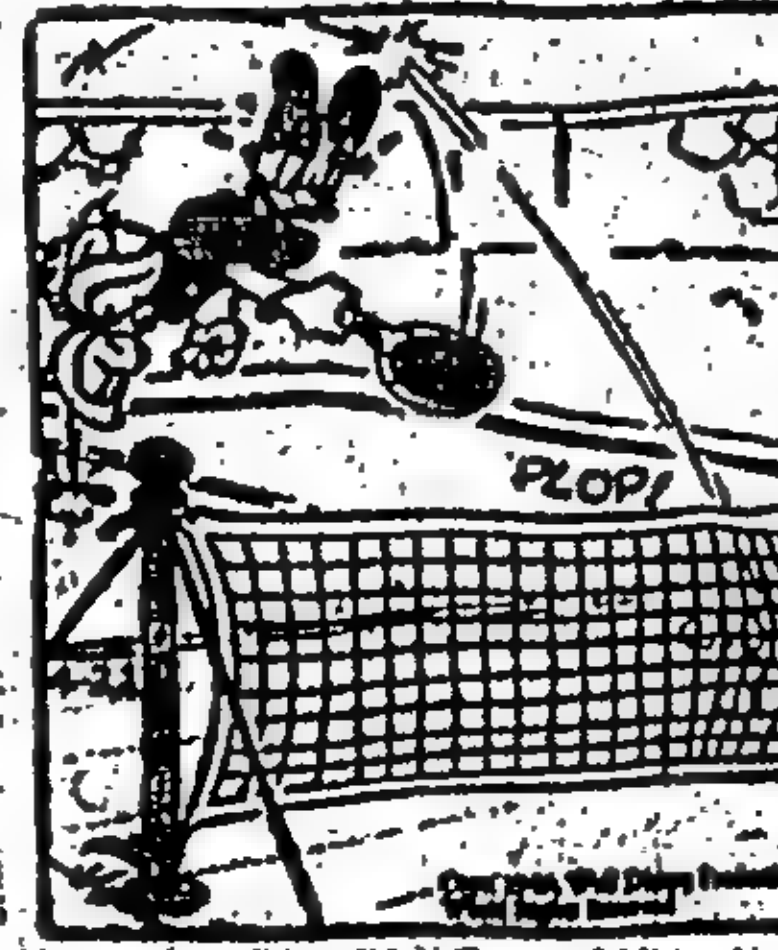
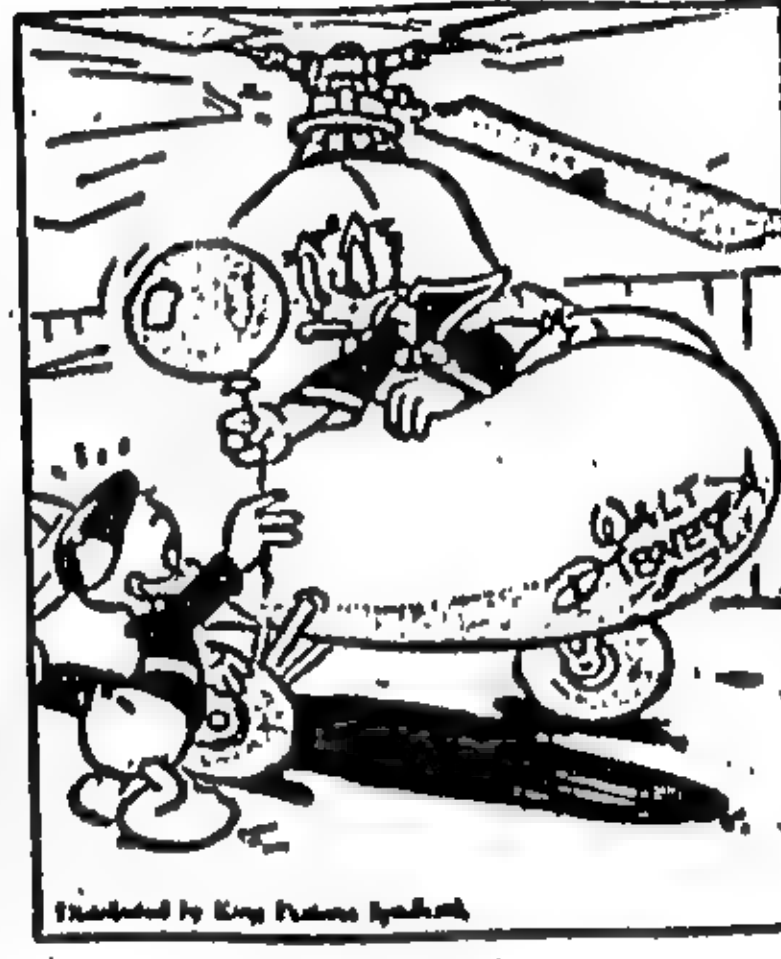
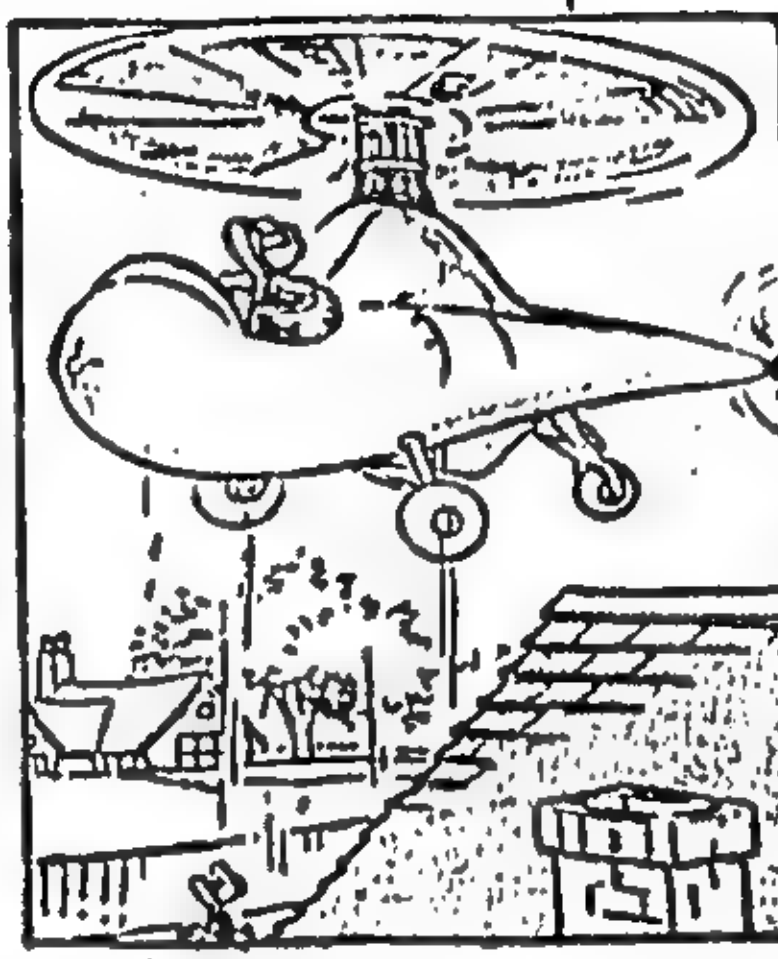
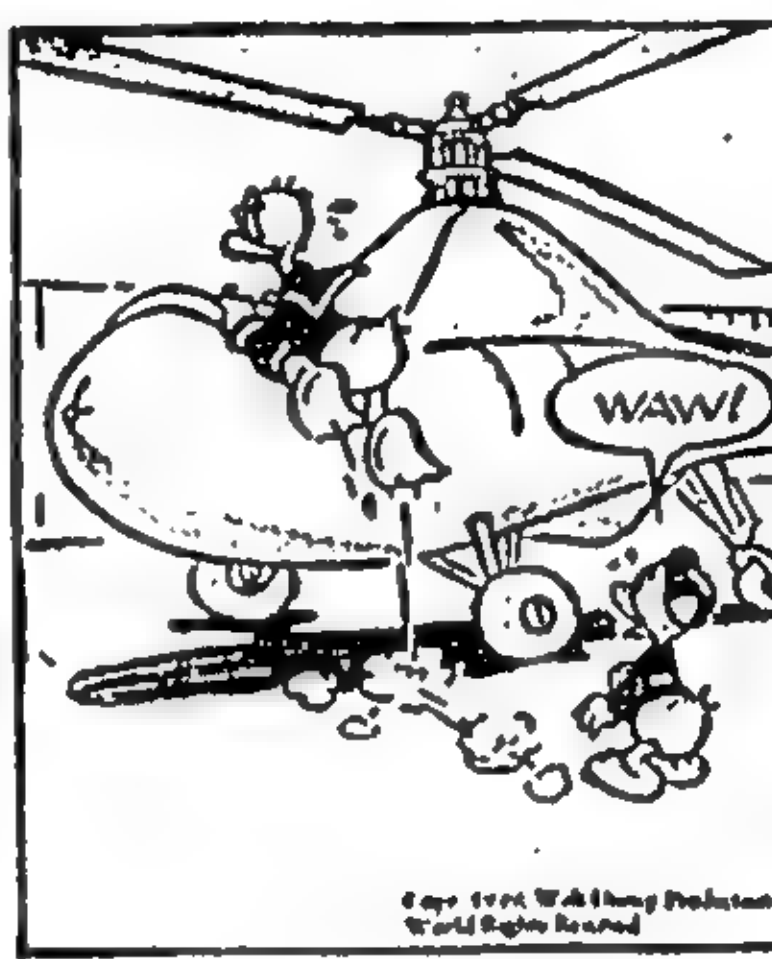
The next day came and one of them went and told Wilfrid that the bear he told them of was grunting very loudly. Wilfrid went to the hollow to see if it was true and as he approached he saw that a real bear came out, he was so scared that he ran away and never dared to tell any more stories again.

It was a good lesson for Wilfrid and it was not a real bear that he saw but a girl called Nora who wore the bear skin.

Honour certificate to Zahara Neves of 5, Dragon Terrace, ground floor, Causeway Bay, Hong Kong.

DONALD DUCK

By Walt Disney



RUSTY RILEY

By Frank Godwin

In The Mailbag



TEDDY CHU, will you please let me have your address, because if you don't put it on the articles you send in, I won't be able to print them. Please therefore, let me have it as soon as possible.

WILLIAM CHAN, If you wish to have pen-pals all you have to do is to look up the H.C.C. Members column.

YVELINE TYRRELL, I hope you have a lovely trip. Bon voyage!

FLEURY KAN, I'm so very glad to know what that you like your certificate so much.

ELIZABETH KAN, You can do all the competitions if you like, and of course you can send in as many stories as you wish. Although I can't promise that all of them will be printed, the more articles you send in the more chances you'll have. Yes, just pick any pen-pal from the H.C.C. Members column you like.

ALICIA YUEN GARCIA, Your honour certificate was sent to you long ago. After you wrote and said you didn't receive it I immediately sent you another one. It's strange, for I checked up and you should have received it. If by now you still haven't received it, I think it's best for you to come up to the office to collect it.

N. McDADE, We'll miss you since you joined the Boy's Service and will be leaving for England soon. Hope you'll write to us and let us know how you're getting on. Good Luck.

NEMA MOHAMMED, I'm so sorry I won't be able to print your story again, as someone else has sent exactly the same story to me.

ODETTE SOUZA, As soon as you have gained 20 points, send in the certificates to me and I will send you a \$10 prize.

H.C.C. Members

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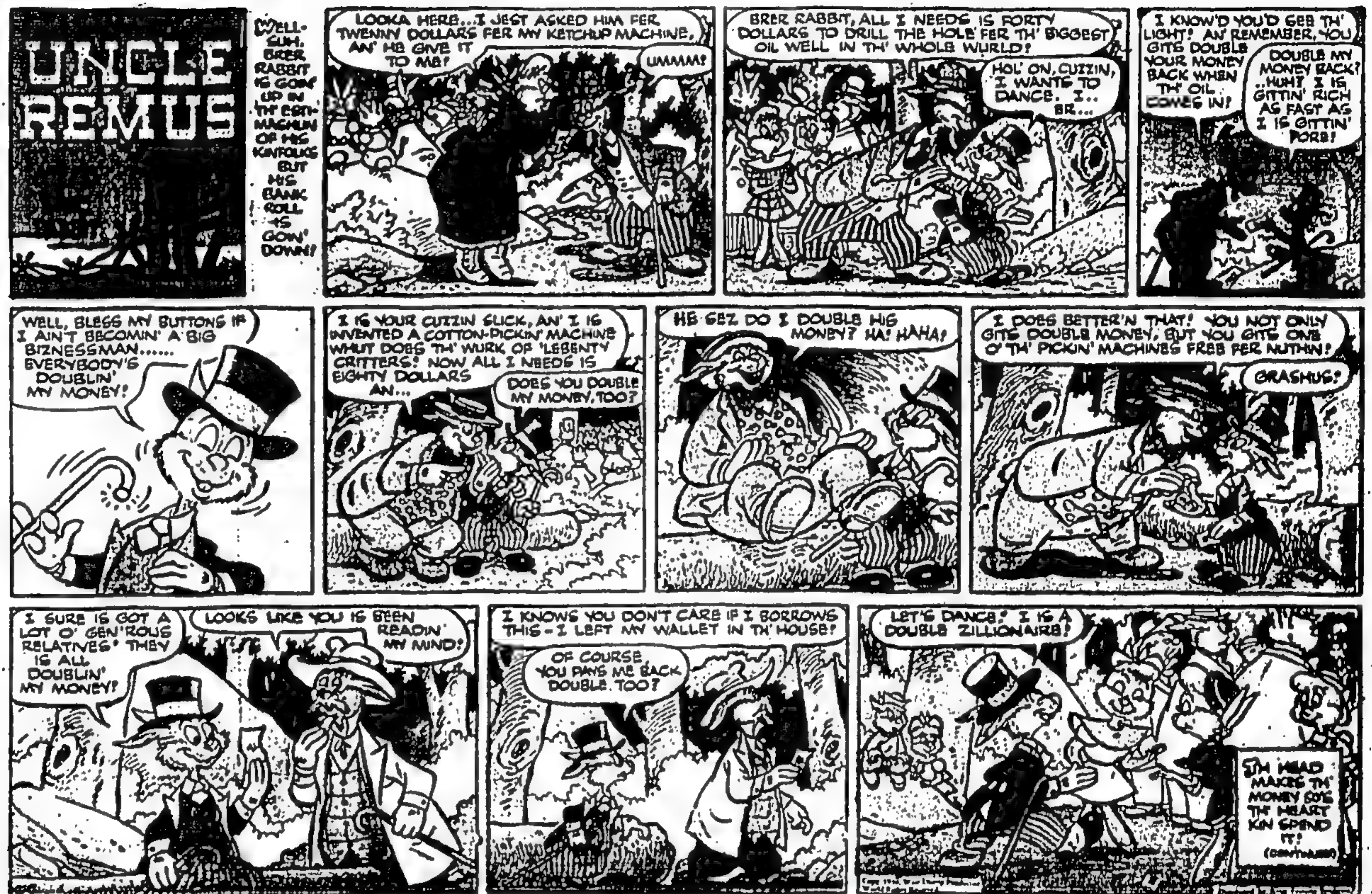
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Birthday Greetings



WILMAN WATSON

On June 20, SHAUN MITCHELL of Talkoo Sugar Refinery, Quarry Bay, Hong Kong will be 11 years old.

On June 24, WILMA WATSON of Peninsula Hotel, Room 220, Kowloon, will be 12 years old.

A Very Happy Birthday to both of you.

My Garden

I have a little garden, With many different flowers, The blue-bells and the holly-hocks, Are hidden in its bowers. The roses and the daffodils, And red geraniums too, All these pretty flowers, Are here just for you.

Honour certificate Elizabeth Roper, of 184B, Mt. Kailat, Hong Kong.

School Adopted

It was in 1941, when London was being bombed, that pupils of the John Campbell school in Windsor "adopted" the Gloucester Grove school in London. For eight years they have been sending parcels to England, and to date they have sent a total of 300. The student body has changed many times, but each year the pupils vote to carry on with the work. Much correspondence has been created between the children in Windsor and those in London.

Recently, the pupils staged a sale of candy, which they made themselves, to raise more money. They made £13 and the money is being used to make up a new parcel of candy, food and clothing for the children in London.

The idea originated with Miss Laura Glen, who had met teachers of Gloucester Grove when she was an exchange teacher in pre-war days. When war broke out, she joined the women's division of the Royal Canadian Air Force, but other teachers carried on her work. (John Marshall, Windsor).

MY CAT

I have a little cat and his name is Tinker. Every day he comes and says "Good Morning". Sometimes I take him for a walk and one day as I was walking together with him, he all-of-a-sudden got stuck fast in a hole. I pulled and pulled him with all my might but I could not get him out.

Two of my friends came along and helped me to get him out. At last Tinker was out, all wet, and was crying. I took him home and put him near the fire-place. My cat always tries to open doors and he can open them himself.

Tinker is really a very strange cat because he likes to drink soda water from the flower vase (which Mummy always put in

An Appreciation

A faithful and loyal reader of the "Children's Herald" and a member of the H.C.C. Miss Cecilia Wan, died in Macao recently.

I am taking this opportunity of writing something about her. Although I never met her, I have heard what a very sweet girl she was. She used to write me now and again, and never thought of herself but of others. In fact, even when she was sick and lying in bed, she wrote to me. I understand she had quite a few H.C.C. pen-pals too, and I can imagine how sad they are feeling.

Cecilia could draw well, play the piano, sew, write and many other things. She was preparing to take her London Matric next January. She also intended to come to Hong Kong and visit all her pen-pals and and myself. We would have loved to have met her.

However, I think we shouldn't feel too bad about it, for we know she is happy now.

Fill In The Form

To become a H.C.C. (Herald Companion's Club) Member, just fill in the form below and send it to Auntie Vee, Children's Herald, Windsor House, Hong Kong.

Name
Address
Birthday
Hobbies

the flower vase, to keep the flowers alive). I do think my cat is almost human. Don't you?

Honour certificate to Elyane Francoise Stock aged 8 1/2, of 5 Carnarvon Road, Kowloon.



Listening-Post

English-language programmes and news from the BBC in London can be heard in Hong Kong on the following stations—
(All times are Hong Kong Summer Time)

BBC LONDON	
(GENERAL OVERSEAS SERVICE)	
5.00 p.m. to 7.00 p.m.	16.66 metres
7.40 p.m. to 10.00 p.m.	15.52 metres
10.00 p.m. to 11.15 p.m.	16.66 metres
1.00 p.m. to 3.00 p.m.	15.52 metres
3.00 p.m. to 5.00 p.m.	16.66 metres
5.00 p.m. to 7.00 p.m.	15.52 metres
7.00 p.m. to 9.00 p.m.	16.66 metres

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Delays of news broadcasts from the BBC in London, as well as other English-language programmes, can be heard by listeners over the following stations—

RADIO SEAC CRYLON	
19.44 metres	49.35 metres
21.51 metres	25.39 metres
News relay may be heard at the following times: 8.00 p.m. and 1.00 p.m. from Monday to Friday and also at 10.00 a.m. on Saturday and Sunday on the wavelengths indicated above.	
RADIO SINGAPORE	
41.31 metres	15.57 metres
20.00 metres	16.61 metres

Programme News

H.M. The King

The official opening by H.M. the King of Colonial Month in the United Kingdom will be heard by BBC listeners all over the world in the General Overseas Service on Tuesday at 7.30 p.m. The speech will be preceded, at 7.20 p.m. by a commentary describing the function at Church House and, if possible, the scene at the central exhibition.

'Colonial Journey'

A recording of H.M. the King's speech will introduce a special feature programme 'Colonial Journey', linking up the colonies by radio.

Produced by Leonard Côttrill, 'Colonial Journey' will try to paint a picture in sound of all the colonies, the way in which the peoples live, and the individual atmosphere that is peculiar to each colony. In the words of the producer himself, 'listeners will travel in imagination on a radio journey from West to East. The first port of call will be the George Cross Island of Malta, now engaged on an enormous task of reconstruction.

'From Malta to Cyprus is a relatively short journey. Much is happening today in this lovely island, the legendary birthplace of the goddess Aphrodite, the fortress of the crusading knights, and the home of a fine peasant people....

'From the Mediterranean to Africa is a natural step, first to West Africa, to a cocoa plantation on the Gold Coast, and thence to Nigeria for a sound-picture of the 900-year-old city of Kano, home of the proud Hausa people. Eastwards again, a long hop across the Indian Ocean takes us to Singapore next—that great port and trading centre which has made a phenomenal recovery since the war....

'From the coast of China we move to the Fiji Islands, where, against a romantic South Seas background, we hope to hear of interesting new developments in industry, agriculture, and native education.

'Then, to provide a vivid contrast, we leap across the South Atlantic to the Falkland Islands, base for the Antarctic expeditions, where we may hear from the crew of the "John Bristow." British Antarctic ship which recently arrived there....

'Now we move North Eastwards to the West Indies....take a look at Jamaica and British Guiana, before paying our last call at Bermuda, that lovely Atlantic outpost, so vital in war as the base from which Lend-Lease aircraft were flown to Britain....and so back to Britain.'

B.B.C. Highlights

General Overseas: Tuesday, 11.15 p.m. and Wednesday, 6 p.m.

Sport

This week the BBC's overseas services bring to listeners all over the world two important sporting events—lawn tennis from Wimbledon and the first day of the second Test from Lord's.

This is the first week of the All-England Lawn Tennis Championships at Wimbledon. Max Robertson, Rex Alston, and Raymond Glendenning will be there for the BBC.

On Saturday, England and New Zealand meet at Lord's for the first day of the second Test. The commentators will be as before—John Arlott, E. W. Swanton, Rex Alston, Arthur Gilligan, and Roger Blunt (for timings in detail, please see programme pages).

Sunday, June 19

GENERAL OVERSEAS SERVICE

A.M. 10.10 HOME NEWS FROM BRITAIN.

P.M. 12.15 LONDON LIGHT CONCERT ORCHESTRA—Conducted by Michael Krein.

3.10 THE RADIO DOCTOR: 'TIME FOR WORSHIP'—from a Bristol studio, conducted by the Rev. Rupert Davies.

3.30 BBC NORTHERN ORCHESTRA—Conductor: Charles Groves, Suite. The Faithful Shepherd Handel, arr. Beecham.

5.30. SUNDAY SERVICE—from Bristol Cathedral (on the occasion of the 400th anniversary of the Book of Common Prayer), conducted by the Very Rev. H. W. Blackburne, Dean of Bristol Cathedral.

8.15 'NIGHTS AT THE OPERA'—Presented by Barbara McFadyen (gramophone records).

9.15 'TAKE IT FROM HERE'—Joy Nichols, Dick Bentley, Jimmy Edwards, Wallis Eaton, Alan Dean, The Keynotes, BBC Revue Orchestra conductor, Frank Cantell.

9.45. 'AUTHORS I NEVER MET'—Second talk by Frank Swinnerton D. H. Lawrence and Joseph Conrad.

10.15 'MUSICAL MEMORIES'—The George Melachrino Orchestra.

11.15 BRITISH CONCERT HALL—PHILHARMONIA ORCHESTRA—Conducted and presented by Clarence Raybould. Polonaise, Arietta, and Passacaglia.....

Symphony No. 92 in G (Oxford) Haydn

Dream Children..... Elgar

Cottillon—A suite of Old English Dances..... Arthur Benjamin

12.45 400TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE BOOK OF COMMON PRAYER—A talk on the Book of Common Prayer, by the Rev. C.W.J. Bowles.

Monday, June 20

GENERAL OVERSEAS SERVICE

A.M. 11.30 Bebe Daniels, Vic Oliver, and Ben Lyon in 'HI, GANGI 1949' with Benny Lee, George Mitchell's Hi Gangsters, The Dance Orchestra, conducted by Stanley Black.

P.M. 1.30 'THE REBEL MAID'—Original book and lyrics by Alexander M. Thompson and Gerald Dodson. Music by Montague F. Phillips. Adapted for broadcasting by Elizabeth Braund, with Victoria Sladen, Billie Baker, Frederick Harvey, Dudley Rolph, and Fred Vule, BBC Midland Light Orchestra and Chorus. Conductor: Gilbert Vinter. Narration spoken by Philip Cunningham.

4.45 MELODY MIXTURE—Jack Byfield and his Players.

5.00 Fay Compton and Andre Morell in 'THE HISTORY OF HENRY ESOMOND'—by W. M. Thackeray 'Lord Murderer'.

5.30 DONALD PEERS—Radio's 'Cavalier of Song' BBC Variety Orchestra Conductor: Rae Jenkins.

6.00 'CONCERTO'—A series of weekly programmes Tchaikovsky's Variations on a Rococo theme for violoncello and orchestra, played by Andre Navarra and the BBC Northern Orchestra, conducted by Gordon Thorne. Programme also includes Mozart's Symphony No. 34 in C, K338; and Glazounov's Symphonic Poem: Stenka Razin.

9.15. BRAHMS RECITAL—by Elsie Hall (South African pianist) Intermezzo in A minor, Op. 118, No. 1. Intermezzo in A. Op. 118, No. 2. Intermezzo in C. Op. 118, No. 3. Rhapsody in E flat, Op. 119, No. 4.

9.45 'GENERALLY SPEAKING'.

9.30 BBC SCOTTISH ORCHESTRA—Conducted by Harry Platts.

11.15 Eric Barker in 'WATERLOGGED SPA'.

12.15 BBC MIDLAND LIGHT ORCHESTRA.

12.45 'COMMONWEALTH AND EMPIRE'.

Tuesday, June 21

GENERAL OVERSEAS SERVICE

H.M. The King's Speech at the opening of the Colonial Exhibitions will be broadcast at 7.30 p.m. The speech will be reproduced today at 11.15 p.m. and on Wednesday at 6.00 p.m. preceding a round-the-world feature programme, 'Colonial Journey'.

A.M. 10.10 HOME NEWS FROM BRITAIN.

11.45 'COMMONWEALTH AND EMPIRE'.

P.M. 1.30 'VARIETY BANDBOX'—with Albert Modley, Radio Revellers, Terry Thomas, Joan Hinde, Joe Church, Cherry Lind, Ron Clarke and Felix Mendelssohn and his Hawaiian Serenaders, Billy Tennent and his Orchestra.

3.15 VARIETY CALLS THE TUNE—BBC Variety Orchestra John Cockerill (harp) and Frank Titterton (tenor).

5.00 'FOLLOW THE BAND'—The Central Band of the Royal Air Force, Conductor: Wing Commander A. K. Sims.

6.00 'FROM THE THIRD PROGRAMME'—Tchaikovsky's Quartet in D. Op. 11, played by the Gertrude String Quartet and Tannenberg's Mass: Western Wyndy sung by the Cambridge University Madrigal Society Conductor, Boris Ord From St. John's College Chapel.

7.00 'AMERICAN LETTER' by All-star Cooks.

7.20 'COLONIAL MONTH, 1949' Speech by H.M. THE KING—opening the Colonial Exhibition from Church House, Westminster. Commentator: Richard Dimbleby. Preceded by a tour of the Exhibition in Oxford Street.

Wednesday, June 22

GENERAL OVERSEAS SERVICE

A.M. 11.00 'THE STORYTELLER'—'The Brogue', by 'Saki', read by Patricia Lafan.

P.M. 12.15 'TWENTY QUESTIONS'—Anona Winn, Daphne Padel, Jack Train, and Richard Dimbleby, who ask all the questions, and Stewart MacPherson who knows (almost) all the answers.

5.00 'MUCH BINDING - IN THE MARSH'.

INTERNATIONAL MUSIC

EISTEDDFOD—Edited recordings of this year's Festival at Llangollen, North Wales.

6.00 'COLONIAL MONTH, 1949'.

8.15 BBC MIDLAND LIGHT ORCHESTRA.

8.45 'GENERALLY SPEAKING'—Jack McLaren Talking 'A Crusoe Comes to Town'.

12.45 'BALANCE OF EUROPE'—A commentary by Andrew Shonfield, on the Recovery Programme.

Thursday, June 23

GENERAL OVERSEAS SERVICE

P.M. 2.00 BBC MIDLAND LIGHT ORCHESTRA.

5.00 'IN BRITAIN NOW'—A National Magazine.

7.00 SCIENCE AND EVERYDAY LIFE—Dr. W. H. Glanville talks about science and roads.

7.15 BBC WELSH ORCHESTRA—Conductor: Mansel Thomas Marion Davies (soprano).

10.15 RECITAL—Gloconda de Vito (violin) Accompanist: Ernest Lush Sonata in C minor, Op. 30 No. 2, for violin and piano.....

Beethoven.

10.45 'CARROLL RECALLS THE TUNE'.

Friday, June 24

GENERAL OVERSEAS SERVICE

A.M. 11.00 'MEET THE COMMONWEALTH'.

Keep this page for use during the week.

11.30 'WITHOUT ANOTHER WORD'—Eric James and George Myddleton at two pianos and Enzo Toppino with his Accordeon.

P.M. 12.15 BBC SCOTTISH ORCHESTRA—Conductor: Ian Whyte.

1.30 'HI, GANGI 1949'.

5.00 'PROVIDENCE AND THE GUITAR' Adapted from the story by Robert Louis Stevenson, by Keith D. Williams.

5.30 JOHN REYNOLDS—and his Orchestra.

7.00 SPORT IN BOOKS 1: Cricket—John Arlott introduces passages from the literature of cricket.

8.30 'FROM THE THIRD PROGRAMME'—Durham Cathedral—A talk by Geoffrey Grigson.

9.15 Harry Roy and his Band in 'THE MUSIC BOX'.

10.10 HOME NEWS FROM BRITAIN.

10.45 PIPE BAND.

11.15 'CONCERTO'—A series of weekly programmes Mozart's—Oboe Concerto in F (K293), played by Leon Goossens and the BBC Northern Orchestra, conductor, Charles Groves. Programme also includes Glinka's Overture: Russian and Ludmilla; Schumann's Symphony No. 1 in B flat.

12.15 'MUSICAL SHOWS OF THE 1930s'—5: 1937-1938 (gramophone records).

12.45 'WORLD AFFAIRS'—A survey by Gerald Barry.

Saturday, June 25

GENERAL OVERSEAS SERVICE

P.M. 2.45 LISTENERS' CHOICE.

3.10 HOME NEWS FROM BRITAIN.

3.15 'LET'S MAKE MUSIC'.

5.00 'THE ADVENTURES OF P.C. 49'—'The Case of the Million Dollar Baby'.

6.00 BBC MIDLAND LIGHT ORCHESTRA.

6.30 NATIONALIST MUSIC—'Russia'—an illustrated talk by John Lade.

9.10 ENGLAND V. NEW ZEALAND—THE SECOND CRICKET TEST MATCH—A ball-by-ball description of the first day's play at Lord's Commentators: Rex Alston, John Arlott, E. W. Swanton, Roger Blunt, and Arthur Gilligan.

10.10 HOME NEWS FROM BRITAIN.

10.30 BBC NORTHERN ORCHESTRA—Conductor: Charles Groves.

12.45 SANDY MACPHERSON AT THE THEATRE ORGAN.

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Lane Norcott

Up the garden path

Does Mr. Izzard, who writes so authoritatively on gardens, realise that clubfoot in seakale can be greatly relieved, if not completely cured, by rubbing the swollen roots with a warm tisane made of equal parts of firlar's balsam and liquorice? We doubt it.

Is he aware that the cauliput, the amazing new two-in-one vegetable which is proving to be such a boon to lazy restaurateurs, is easily obtained by poking a cauliflower seed into a potato's eye and forcing the tuber under gentle heat by covering it with an elderspread, which, in its turn, is easily obtained by sending an elderdown and a bedspread to the laundry and afterwards tacking together the mangled remains? Nothing is less likely.

Not to mince words, does this big, bullying horticulturist, who is forever ordering his timid students about like dogs, crying harshly to them, "Mulch the beans without delay!" "Ply the hoo busily!" and "Plant sugar cane now!" realise that radishes, when sown in succession as he rashly advises, may easily wilt and die when they see nothing but other radishes, with the same dreary little red faces, coming up all around them? Just think of your own feelings when you look at the people who live near you.

Sow radishes at random, we say, light-heartedly scattering the seeds among the damned turnips, and you will not only be defying a strict disciplinarian, and a haughty expert — in itself a pleasure — but you may grow a radnip (or turnish) into the bargain.

As for you, Izzard, stop leaning on that hectoring pen. Got out into the open, man, and let us see you double-trench some of those loamy great spits with a correctly held spade.

The Call Of The Fame

Only 250 indiscriminating tourists are to be allowed to spend their dooped money in picturesque Dementia this year, which is indeed fortunate for the remainder, for of all people the Dementians are the most lumpy, dull, inartistic, hairy-kneed, mercenary, and up to date.

Dementia, which is justly, famed for its unplesant architecture and poisonous drinking water, has long been the favourite holiday resort for the eccentric English who revel in its quaint old quarries and slag heaps, its innumerable little pensions with full board, its obsequious and crafty head-waiters, its souvenir gift shops stuffed with fretwork pipes, and its plain, bad cooking which reminds them of home.

The Dementians themselves are little bigger than broad dwarfs, and judged by ordinary standards are practically unmarriageable. Yet there are always more than enough of them, and the birth-rate is increasing.

The national costume of the men is a black alpaca coat, pinstripe trousers, and button boots, often with a napkin draped over the arm. However, on the slightest provocation they will don red velvet shorts and a green velour hat and yodel in their bare knees, fit to wake the dead. Their fee for doing this is five Dementian pectos (roughly 10½d.), but the President himself charges as much as 10 Dementian pectos if he thinks that he can get it.

The national beverage of Dementia is fermented garlic sweetened with saccharin and highly scented with noxious local herbs. A small art glassful costs anything from 15 to 75 pectos, according to the customer's appearance, and is excessively distasteful.

GENERAL KNOWLEDGE

1. The Prime Minister's official London residence is at 10 Downing Street. Who was the street named after?
2. What is the crane-fly or the long-legged harvestman spider usually called?
3. After a good dinner you may call for a DOM. What three Latin words do these letters stand for?
4. Who was it in Greek mythology who sowed a dragon's teeth from which armed men sprang up out of the ground?
5. What country is known as the Land of Cakes. We'll help you with this one—the cakes are oatmeal cakes.
6. The dreaded Goodwin Sands were once farmland fenced from the sea by a low wall. Who was their original owner?

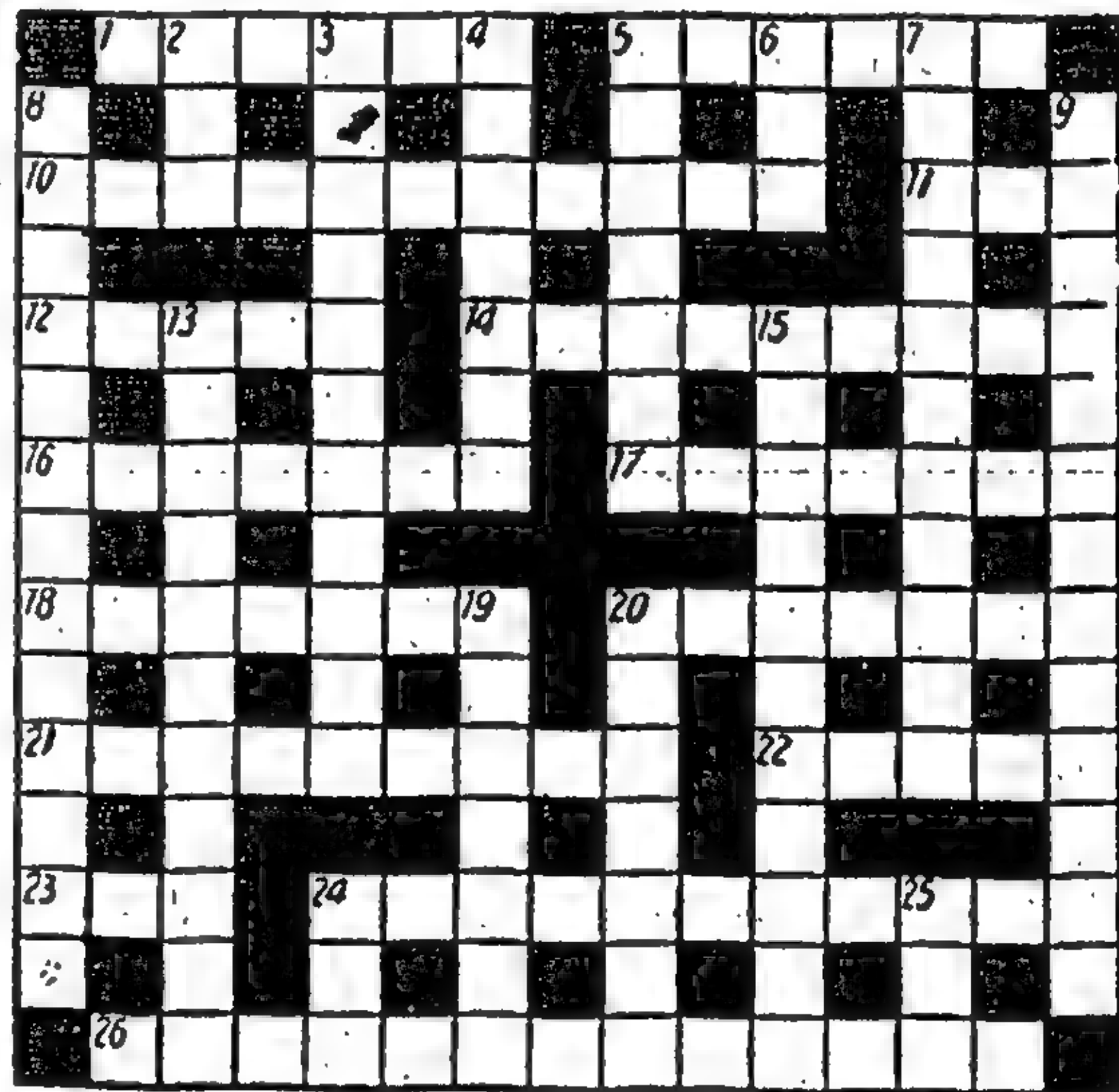
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NEWS QUIZ

1. The first major reinforcements for the Hong Kong garrison arrived last week. What troopship did they arrive in?
2. The U.S. Treasury has released the list of highest paid Americans in 1947. Who headed the men's list?
3. The highest paid woman was which well-known film star?
4. The first Test Match between and New Zealand was left drawn. Where was it played?
5. Which country's flag was seen in Hong Kong harbour last week for the first time since the war?
6. What world-renowned woman novelist died during the week?

(Answers on Page 2)

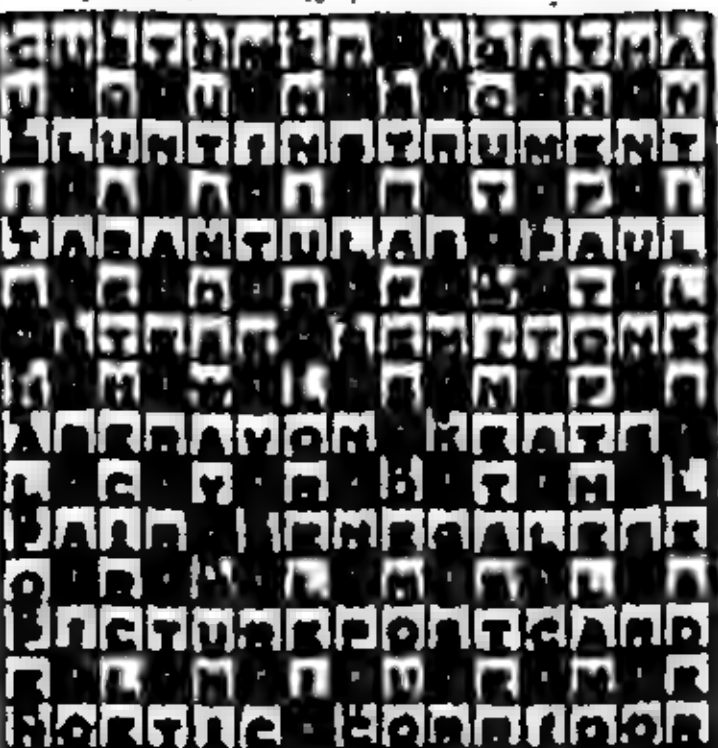
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Across

- 1 The pattern of old China. (6)
- 3 Used the vase as a seat apparently. (6)
- 10 Illuminated, in person perhaps. (11)
- 11 This gang gets the bird in Asia. (3)
- 12 "The poet's pen . . . gives to airy nothing . . . habitation and a name." ("Mid. Night's Dream.") (6)
- 14 Willingly permit the ground a rest? (3, 6)
- 16 Money-bags? (7)
- 17 Battle Colours. (7)
- 18 Short cut over the stream? (7).

SOLUTION TO No. 111



- 20 Dutchman who painted the avenue in the National Gallery. (7)
- 21 The sort of flower the forget-me-not is. (9)
- 22 Insect engineer in cavern. (5)
- 23 Sort of rubbish one finds in the average grotto. (3)
- 24 Characteristic of looking glasses? (11)
- 26 Against what does this insure natives of these islands? (7, 6)

Down

- 2 Bad part of the clue to 14. (3)
- 3 Attached to the locomotive on its lawful run? (6, 6)
- 4 Framework of proposed cabin at Inlandree. (7)
- 5 One can see the moles in this. (7)
- 6 Look up to spot the fox. (3)
- 7 "With royal arras and — gold" (Spenser). (11)
- 8 With which the Chinese knock in nails? (13)
- 9 Colloquial description of one who has had a good tanning. (5, 2, 1, 5)
- 13 It's a real crime to alter this. (11)
- 15 Describes an Examination problem. (11)
- 19 These are conventionally "symbolical." (7)
- 20 Remains of the cobbler's drink? It would have caught Achilles on the hop. (4-3)
- 24 This is even less than the traditional half-day. (9)
- 25 It's a bit sticky to get 100,000. (3)

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BRIDGE

No prizes are offered for solutions to the questions below, but they should provide you with some interest. Score love all.

1.—West, 1 Heart; North, 2 Diamonds; East, 2 Spades; South, 3 Diamonds; West, 4 Hearts; North and East Pass. What should South say holding:

SA J 8 D J 10 9 7 3 H 8 C Q 9 4 2

2.—West, 1 Diamond; East, 2 Clubs; West, 2 Diamonds; East, 2 Spades; West, 2 No-trumps. What should East say holding:

SA Q 5 3 D none H K 10 8 2 CK Q 9 4 2

3.—West, 2 Diamonds; North, 2 Spades; East, 3 Clubs; South, 3 Spades; West, 4 Clubs; North, 4 Spades; East and South Pass. What should West say holding:

SA Q 5 3 D none H K 10 8 2 CK Q 9 4 2

4.—West, 1 Diamond; East, 1 Heart; West, 2 Diamonds. What should East say holding:

SA Q 5 3 D none H K 10 8 2 CK Q 9 4 2

5.—West, 1 Spade; East, 1 No-trump; West, 2 Diamonds. What should East say holding:

SA Q 5 3 D none H K 10 8 2 CK Q 9 4 2

6.—West, 1 Heart; North, Double; East, Pass; South, 2 Diamonds; West, Pass; North, 3 Clubs; East, Pass; South, 4 Clubs; West, Pass. What should North say holding:

SA Q 5 3 D none H K 10 8 2 CK Q 9 4 2

7.—West, 1 Spade; East, 2 Diamonds; West, 2 Hearts; East, 3 Spades; West, 4 Clubs. What should East say holding:

SA Q 5 3 D none H K 10 8 2 CK Q 9 4 2

8.—West, 1 Diamond; North, Pass; East, 1 Heart. What should South say holding:

SA Q 5 3 D none H K 10 8 2 CK Q 9 4 2

9.—West, 1 Heart; East, 2 Diamonds; West, 2 Hearts. What should East say holding:

SA Q 5 3 D none H K 10 8 2 CK Q 9 4 2

GERMAN CRIPPS

The Stafford Cripps slogan "Export or Die" has been adopted—by Germany.

Speaking at the opening of a Bavarian export show recently, Bavarian Minister for Economic Affairs, Dr. Seidel, stated that Britain was Germany's chief rival in the world export battle. "For the good of both parties," added Dr. Seidel, "it is necessary that both countries define their spheres in the export trade and keep to them. 'Export or die' was Britain's policy — now it must be ours."

Meanwhile, however, Germany is not waiting until the various trade "spheres" are defined. All articles exhibited at the Bavarian Fair are now on their way to the New York Trade Fair. Among the samples are household ornaments, furniture and leather goods.

Products most likely to set up severe Anglo-German competition are precision instruments and optical instruments—among them a camera the shape and size of a wristwatch. Finally, backing the "borrowed" "Export or Die" slogan, the Joint Export-Import Agency for Germany announces that "facilities for foreign buyers to come to Germany and choose their own goods will be considerably extended this year." At the same time 350 German businessmen will travel to New York and collect "trade information"—yet another step forward in German trade expansion.

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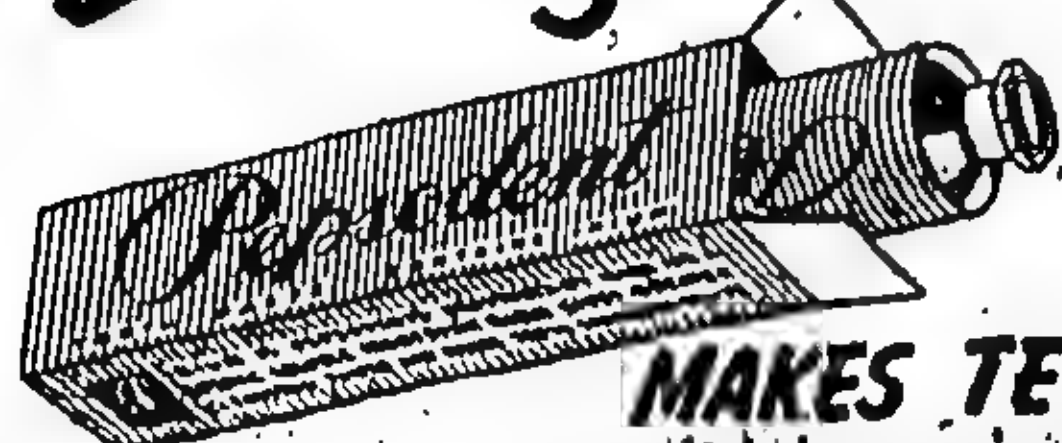
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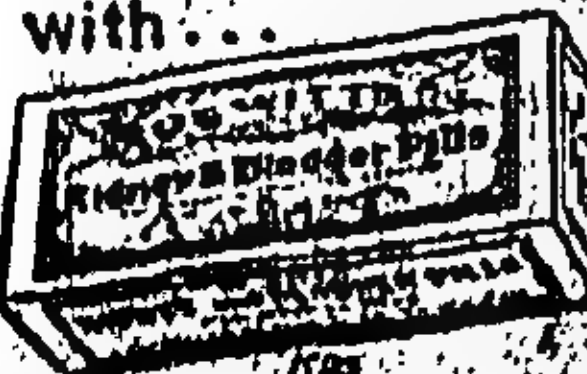
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Few citizens of Prague gave more than scant attention to the convey of gleaming silver-grey and blue cars, with the U.N. emblem painted on their sides, which sped through the city in the warm sunshine.

Had they been a column of tanks clattering over these chunky cobbles, the citizens of this or any other town—would have stood and stared.

But these were only nicely-painted cars of the spacious sort which the Americans call station-wagons, and are better known to folk in Britain as shooting-brakes.

And these cars were neither soldiers to be admired nor politicians to be feared over at departure. Nor was there advance publicity to tell people that these cars were carrying teams of doctors and nurses destined for Slovakia to renew the battle which Czechoslovakia and all Europe are waging, with generous aid from Unicef (United Nations International Children's Emergency Fund) and the Scandinavian Red Cross, against tuberculosis.

The campaign was opened last year, but was largely limited to the towns during the winter. Now, with the advent of spring it has turned out once more over the farmlands and through the villages in remote hill regions of central and Eastern Europe in another stage of the gigantic "BOG" vaccination operation, the largest single mass-immunisation undertaken to reduce the toll of one of the world's worst killers.

Global Plan

Fifty million children in 11 European countries will be tested for tuberculosis in the programme ready now for operation.

A global plan, not yet completed, will test seven millions more in North Africa, and at least 50 millions more in the Far East.

By the end of 1948 nearly five and a half million European children had been tested, and two millions whose reaction to the tests was negative immunised with the famous Bacillus-Calmette-Guerin vaccine, which experience so far shows, is capable of reducing new cases of TB by 80 per cent.

This campaign against the "white plague," which is calculated to kill four or five million people a year, represents one of the rare survivals of collaboration.

tion between Powers born during the war.

It transcends, in fact, the issues of war and politics, asks of a country neither if it was an enemy or a friend, recognises—like the disease it is fighting—no frontiers and penetrates "iron curtains" with nothing on its visa.

By ERIC BOURNE
Special
Correspondent

other than its mission to snatch the children of the occupied lands from the frightful harvest which TB is still gathering.

"Show Country"

Today these silver-grey and blue cars are carrying native doctors and nurses, reinforced in most cases by Norwegianians, Danes, and Finns, over the flat lands of Poland and through the dusty, backward villages of Slovakia, across the great Hungarian plain and over the rocky tracks through the wooded mountains of Yugoslavia, in a great preventive battle to save millions of children still living in conditions which render them highly susceptible to infection.

A Unicef official the other day described Czechoslovakia to me as a model—the show country of the BOG operation. Here, where TB jumped 100 per cent during the war, and in Poland the greatest progress has so far been made. What, then, is being done in Czechoslovakia?

Up to date, more than 900,000 Czech and Slovak children have been immunised with BOG. Before the end of the year, when the operation will have been completed, 900,000 more will have been vaccinated.

Transport and vaccine for the opening stages of the campaign were provided by the Scandinavian Red Cross.

Now the Czechs are building, with their own government grants, ambulances and trucks for medical purposes in other European countries.

They began two months ago their own production of the vaccine—a second example of how beneficiary countries are responding to Unicef's policy of making

its help largely dependent on self-help.

The problem in Czechoslovakia alone is so immense that the Ministry of Health recently estimated that the BOG operation itself—apart from other Unicef-sponsored projects—will ultimately save Czechoslovakia about 7,000,000,000 crowns (about \$25,000,000) annually in treatment: loss of earning power and other costs levied by the disease.

All told four million children will be the negatives—whom alone BOG can help to protect. Curative resources will have to be found to help the positives, the hundreds or thousands already infected.

Czechoslovakia, like most lands in Central and Eastern Europe, is terribly short of doctors.

In the Easternmost districts of Slovakia still the Czech lands of the Czechoslovak union—there is but one doctor for every 10,000 of the population.

Even in relatively prosperous Bohemia there are areas—in the former Sudeten border lands—where a single medical man has a panel of 8,000.

From these slender reserves, 70 Czech and Slovak doctors, nurses and medical students were assigned to the springtime immunisation campaign. Working with them are 11 Danish doctors and 22 nurses.

Beside the BOG operation, UNICEF is helping most European countries with penicillin. The Czechs, after consultations with British expert advisers, recently visiting Prague, hope to produce their own in a few months—streptomycin, and dried milk for new-born babies.

But, with all the valuable outside aid and the best the Government themselves can achieve in expanded health services and the creation of more children's convalescent homes, the greatest need is in food.

You cannot replace the vitamins of grown foods—fresh vegetables, fruit and so on—with tablets. The specialised needs of millions of children are still not sufficiently met.

In most countries there has been some improvement in the overall food situation. A good harvest this year will help. But in the long run, say the doctors, tackling the uphill task in the wake of the war's destruction, only when the political "cold war" ends and the fear war recedes will the change arise to fight the illness through to a successful finish.

And when that will be, the doctors, no less than the politicians can not tell us.

FOOTNOTE—BOG vaccine, developed by the French scientists Comette and Guérin, was first injected into man in 1924. Since then, the vaccine has been used in 100 countries, and is now being used in Australia, and parts of the United States. BOG does not claim to give absolute protection, but experience so far shows it can reduce new cases of TB by four-fifths.

DANNY KAYE: CLOSE-UP OF A PHENOMENON

By JOHN G. DRUMMOND

Stars in any other firmament than the astral tend to diminish with proximity, and to shine less brightly the nearer one approaches.

Getting a close-up of a phenomenon in the world of sports or entertainment can be an experience exasperating, humbling, boring, infuriating or disillusioning. Only on rare—very rare—occasions, "it" is stimulating and interesting.

When Hazlitt tried to be taken not behind the painted scene, nor see the boy who held the candle for Jessica's moon, he was speaking from the depths of bitter experience which had taught him to keep his distance, to accept his entertainment from the far side of the footlights and preserve illusion.

For these reasons I viewed with reluctance the prospect of meeting Danny Kaye, who recently finished his London run.

I was not to know that this would be one of the rare occasions; that this comet from Brooklyn, blazing his way across the entertainment skies of two continents, would be more intriguing off stage than on, and that the personality which mesmerises the audience does not come off with the grease-paint.

Talent Work

But personality is not enough to make a star. Danny Kaye is at the top of his profession for the same reasons as the rest of the top-liners: talent—aplomb, genius if you like, then work, work, and experience picked up the hard way.

He was born David Daniel Kominsky in Brooklyn, New York, on January 18, 1913. For the first 12 years of his life he just drifted, then he began to set about his business—show business. Somewhere in the interval between then and now, David Kominsky acquired Danny Kaye, and between them they rocketed to the top.

The celebrity who can switch on his public personality when occasion demands is a common place, but in this case the impression persists that Kaye and Kominsky are two quite separate people. Kominsky is quiet, thoughtful, feet-on-the-ground, typical of the best in the New York American, reminiscent of the GI soldier I helped to train during the war. Kaye is volatile, sensitive, mercurial, explosive, fascinating, and—international.

David Kominsky is not seen much in public these days because Danny is such a busy man. You meet him when the subject arises far from business to some topic such as golf—on which they are both fanatically keen.

Then he will dwell nostalgically on great and beautiful courses in Britain and America, and sadly on bad rounds he has played and faults in his game.

He is almost certain to be interrupted by Danny jumping up to demonstrate, with devastating mimicry, just how he hit the

ball and just why it departed on a mournful course.

As a teacher of golf, Danny Kaye would have quite a future. His demonstration of one way to slice—my way—so burned it into my memory that I went out the next day and whammed the ball down the middle of the fairway.

But it is not with David Kominsky that we are concerned.



DANNY KAYE

charming though he may be, nor with the wonder boy of variety who has thrice conquered London.

So Lavish

From the detachment of my critical stall I have tried to discover which of his particular talents—singing, dancing, clowning—was paramount, and contained the secret of his success. In the quiet of his dressing-room—it is about as quiet as Broadway—circus on VE night—I found the answer, and it was none of these.

His real talent is, simply, people, and the real secret of his success is his instinctive sympathy for and appreciation of people, allied to the fact that he is in love with his job. For Danny Kaye is stage-struck.

This talent for handling people, for instinctively attuning himself to their mood and personality, is a fascinating thing to watch as he deals with the procession that passes through his dressing-room. I have never seen an individual so lavish with his personality and his energy. I said in amazement to his friend and pianist, Sammy Frenger, that it could not possibly be so, that he would have a physical and nervous breakdown long before the end of his Palladium run.

But Frenger smiled and shrugged, and said: "He won't, you know. He's like that all the time, and if he gets a little tired he will be back on the stage in 20 minutes charging up his batteries again. People don't exhaust him, they replenish him, and audiences most of all."

Enjoys Job

As to being stage-struck, it is quite true that his act often runs long past its time. That is not so much an endeavour to give value for money, but rather because he enjoys what he is doing. The difficulty is not to get him on the stage, but to get him off, and to stop him working, even between shows.

There is no piano in Danny Kaye's dressing room, nor in his hotel suite. Pianos have been banned ever since the time in Chicago when three hours for singing and clowning with some friends before the curtain went up left him standing on the stage with a voice that could not rise above a whisper.

Advised of that very valuable instrument, he could still cost his

spell over a crowded auditorium for 45 minutes without speaking a word.

So much has been said about the impact of Danny Kaye on audiences that I wondered about the impact of audiences on Danny Kaye. Did he find it necessary to vary his technique from one country to another, one district to another, one town to another?

I reminded him that what London thinks today Manchester, Glasgow, Birmingham and Liverpool often refuse, point blank, to think tomorrow. Did he anticipate any difficulty with provincial audiences?

Listen to Danny Kaye on the subject of audiences:

"I find I don't have to vary my act in the slightest, no matter where I am playing. Audiences are composed of people, and deep down underneath, people are the same the world over. They come into the theatre covered by a few veneers of their own peculiarities and prejudices.

"American audiences like to think they are tough and hard to get. A myth has developed that English audiences are cold, unemotional and unenthusiastic. In fact, they are not, but they like to believe they are.

"You have to get out on the stage and start peeling off these veneers until you get at the people underneath. Sometimes it takes a little longer than others, sometimes there are a few more veneers to remove, but, when you finally get down to the people underneath, they are the same the world over.

"A successful performance for the artist and an enjoyable evening for any audience, depend on an interchange of emotions. The artist who has no affection for his audience, that sits on his hands will never get a good performance. The man on the stage should get off to a flying start. You see, the audience goes into the theatre wanting to enjoy itself. You can feel that warmth and eagerness rushing across the footlights to meet you when you come on and immediately you are ready to give them everything you have got."

Three People

Having explained carefully, earlier on, that David Kominsky had become two people, it is now necessary to emphasise that Danny Kaye is really three people.

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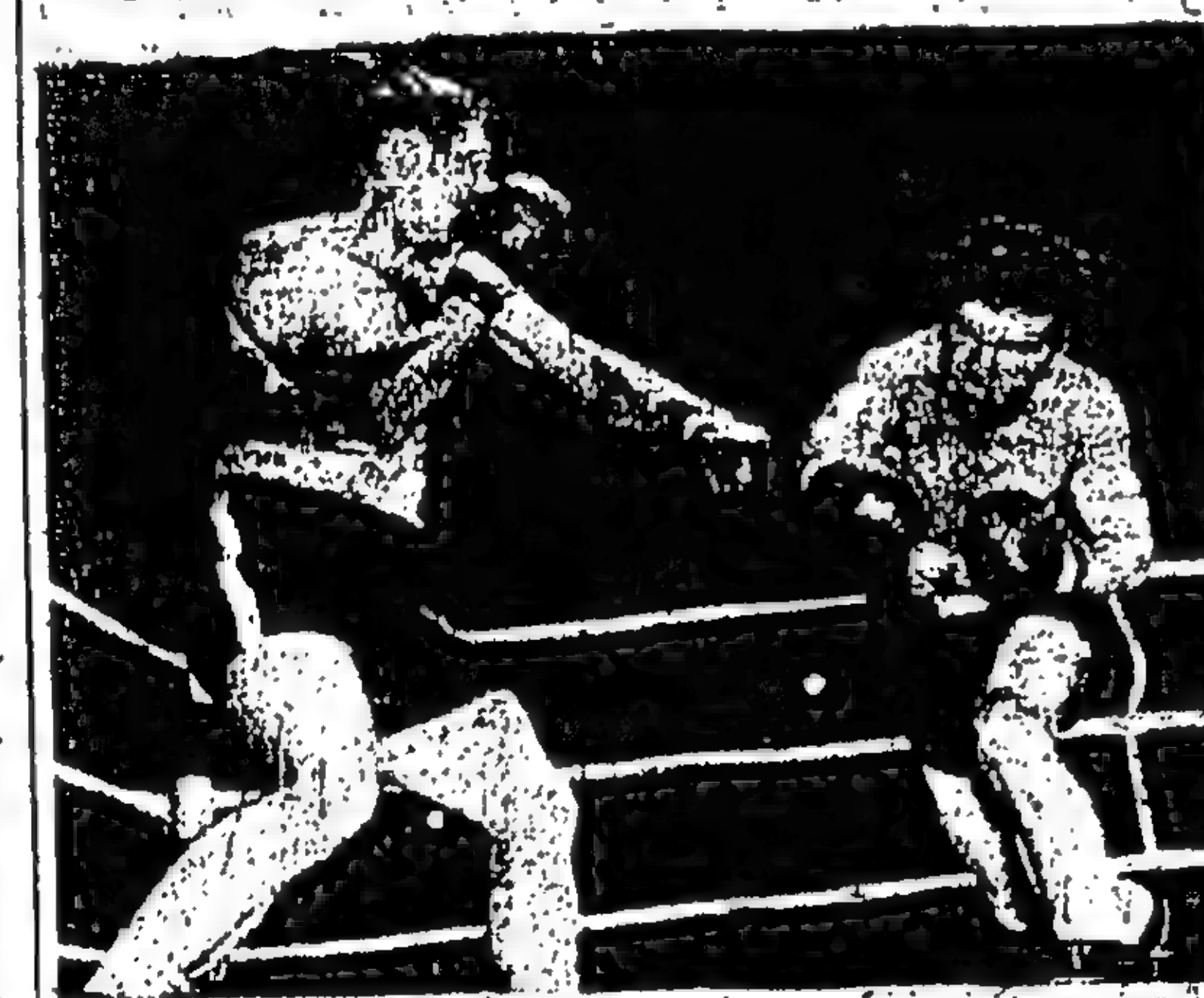
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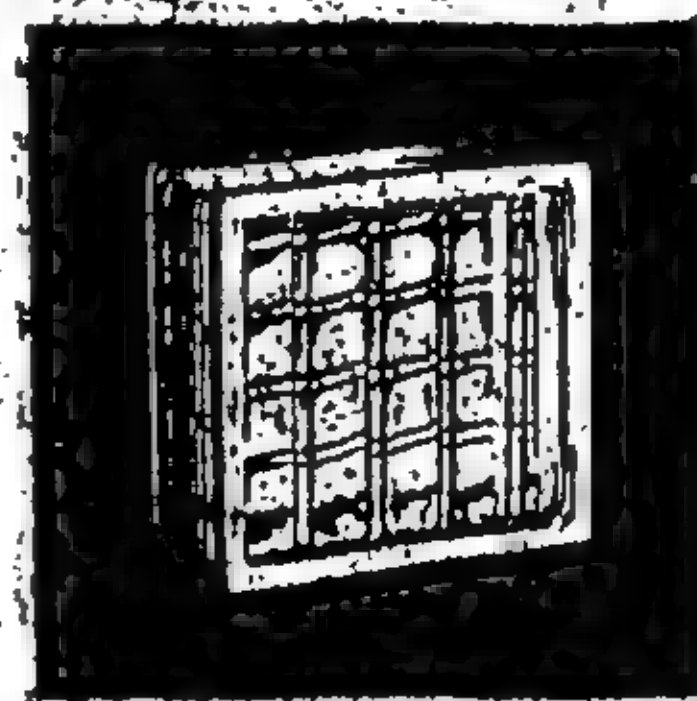
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EXHAUSTING COST OF GOVERNMENT

In this article, the famous war-time Minister of Food contests the Socialist view that the government in Whitehall really does know better what is good for people than the people know themselves; criticises the Food Ministry's increased activities; and suggests that, divested of some of its functions, it should be amalgamated with the Ministry of Agriculture.

The machinery of government is a subject on which the two principal political parties are in deep-rooted disagreement. The Conservatives think that the State is taking too much responsibility for our affairs, and the Socialists think the State should take more.

The Socialist's creed involves the nationalisation of the means of production, distribution and exchange; consequently they are committed to a very wide extension of Government management of our industrial effort and, I think inevitably, of our private lives. Political wisdom or opportunism compel them at election times, to make all sorts of minor concessions; but they do it at a sacrifice of principle.

Mr. Douglas Jay I believe to be a sincere Socialist thinker, and he does not flinch in his views. He puts his philosophy fairly and squarely before the public in his book, "The Socialist Case." There, speaking of all food, he says:

First, housewives as a whole cannot be trusted to buy all the right things where nutrition and health are concerned. This is really no more than an extension of the principle according to which the housewife herself would not trust a child of four to select a week's purchases. For in the case of nutrition and health, just as in the case of education, the gentleman in Whitehall really does know better what is good for people than the people know themselves.

Mr. Jay is the Government economic expert, and his views, therefore, are likely to carry much weight. He and the Chancellor of the Exchequer both believe in a controlled and planned economy.

Of course it costs money to manage in detail the affairs of a country, and it will probably cost more money when done by a Government Department than when it is done by tens of thousands of private individuals looking after their own interests, and, therefore, exercising a wise restraint over what they spend.

In former days the Treasury was always exercising a moderating influence over the limitations and growth of the Departments of State. The Chancellor of the Exchequer was always faced with the disagreeable and politically embarrassing problem of finding the money.

That embarrassment is a thing of the past. It belongs to the time when, substantially at any rate, we sought to balance our Budget out of revenue. In these days, when the Budget is used not only as a means of raising the necessary money to run the country but as a political instrument for the redistribution of wealth, no such restraining force exists.

In view of the considerable proportion of the national income that goes to pay for the Government the time has come when ordinary prudent people should begin to inquire whether a fact we need all this machinery of Government.

They are certainly beginning to realise that they pay for it, and daily more people are beginning to look critically at the many things the Government do, and to judge whether we would do as well off without some of them.

What Is the Ministry For?

There are many activities connected with the Ministry of Food which I think require looking at to see whether they are applicable to the present time, or whether they really are the business of the Ministry of Food. This Ministry was created to deal with the emergencies of war; to secure an adequacy of

food at a time when war conditions made ordinary commercial dealings impossible and involved a risk that no private trader could have undertaken to bear, particularly because of the incalculable losses at sea.

The emergency when it came was much greater than had been foreseen. The result was that the Ministry of Food was forced, in order to maintain the health of the nation, into the position of

By LORD WOOLTON

exercising a nutritional standard of judgment over both what it bought and what was produced in this country.

Indeed, it had to do more—it regulated and rationed distribution and arranged for a scientific study of the nutritional needs of various groups of the population.

It took in hand the Milk for Schools scheme, first introduced by the National Government in 1934, and developed it extensively. It took the School Milk scheme, started in 1936, and vastly developed it in order to see that these two schemes together should ensure that the children attending schools were properly fed.

It introduced the Vitamin Well-fare scheme, giving orange juice to children and cod-liver oil to pregnant women in order to see that children born during the war did not suffer from malnutrition.

It encouraged the development of canteens in factories and works in order to ensure that workers were reasonably well nourished, so that they could get on with the job of producing the necessities of war.

All these schemes were developed by the Ministry of Food because somebody had to do them. They are indeed a very stimulating and worthwhile part of the job of any Minister. They are so successful in their social benefits as to give him a reward for his very troublesome occupation.

But I wonder whether in times of peace they ought not to go to other Ministries? It was always my intention that, after the war, all the health and welfare schemes should go to the control of the Minister of Health; that the Minister of Education should be responsible for the feeding of the school children; and that the works canteens should be the responsibility of the private employer.

I realise that these things cannot happen at once; they depend upon supplies being reasonably adequate. Meanwhile the Govern-

ment ought to be working in that direction, and I find it alarming that the Department should have not only become a permanent feature in a political economic landscape, but that its activities have increased and not diminished since the war.

Last year the Department was employing nearly 5,000 more people than in 1946. There was one Ministry of Food official for every 250 families in the United Kingdom.

Necessities of life ought to be rationed or controlled until they are within the reach of every family. So long as food has to be rationed there is a good case for a Ministry of Food for rationing it.

But scarcity is a sign of failure to secure supplies adequate to meet the nation's needs, and, since the costs of administering scarcity are so high, the Ministry of Food ought to be working for a condition of plenty, which will make its machinery unnecessary.

The general responsibility assumed by the Ministry of Food for the maintenance of an adequate level of nutrition must remain with any Government of the future.

But that does not mean that it should remain with the Ministry of Food, or that the commercial processes involved should be operated by it, or indeed that the Ministry of Food should remain.

Farming And Imports

There is needed within the Government better integration of those sections concerned with the production, the distribution, the consumer of our foodstuffs and our overseas trade.

The Ministry of Agriculture must take its rightful place, and reconcile the current contradictory policies of these two Government Departments which encourage, for example, the horticultural industry to grow substantial individual crops and then cause part of them to be destroyed as a result of large imports of similar crops from abroad.

It is worth considering whether, in order to reduce the cost of this vast machinery of government, it would not be better to amalgamate the Ministry of Agriculture and Ministry of Food, so that under one Ministerial head we may arrive at the position of giving guidance to farmers; telling them what they should grow, and then what quantities can economically be produced at home, and for which the Government is prepared to ensure for them guaranteed prices.

By this means there could be a co-ordination between both the demands of our home-produced crops and the timing and the quantitative extent of import licences.

Influence Of The Big Four

By WALTER LIPPMANN

This meeting of the Big Four has been remarkable for its lack of big talk, big plans, and big gestures.

For it is quite evident that the Big Four have shrunk in influence and power as the war has receded into the past.

Even if now they were able to agree among themselves their decisions would no longer shape the future of Europe and of Asia as at Tehran, Yalta, and Potsdam. It was once believed the Big Powers could.

Perhaps it was from the beginning an illusion to think that the big victors could agree on a settlement for the whole world.

Perhaps it was an even greater illusion to think that, if they did agree, their settlements would be accepted by the whole world.

In any event it is now manifest that the area is rapidly contracting in which the Big Four together or the Big Four separately can make decisions, can impose them, or get them accepted.

In Germany and in Japan, in Eastern Europe and in the Middle East, in China, in South-East Asia, and, of course, in India, the day has passed, or is passing, when the Big Four can hold a meeting and then dictate or determine the shape of things to come.

Public Reaction

This down-grading of the Big Four is, I venture to think, the principal reason why the meeting in Paris arouses so little hope and excites so little fear.

Once it was believed that Churchill, Stalin, and Roosevelt were deciding the destiny of mankind.

Almost no one feels that Vyshinsky, Schuman, Bevin, and Acheson are deciding the destiny of mankind.

The dictatorship of the Big Four, about which so much was said at the end of the war, has not happened.

It broke down completely during the cold war. It was supposed to be followed by the division of the world among two super powers, struggling to decide whether the capital of mankind would be Moscow or Washington.

This conception of the future has been dissolving—rather dramatically during the past year.

It is increasingly plain that no one Power is going to dominate the world, that no two Powers can divide the world, and that the political influence of both Russia and America, which was so greatly inflated in 1945, is being deflated.

It is now certain that despite the unconditional surrender it will be impossible for the victors to dictate the peace treaties with Germany and Japan, and that by one process or another the settlements will be negotiated with the Germans and the Japanese.

Moreover, in almost the whole of Asia and in most of Europe there is beneath all the instability and confusing events one common current which is causing the dissolution of control by the big Powers.

Not only the old colonial empires, but also the more recent post-war spheres of influence, the Russians in Eastern Europe, the Americans in China, are caught in this tremendous current of resistance and rebellion by the native populations against distant and alien big Powers.

The over-simplified formula of the cold war—that all the world will go "democratic" or will go "Communist"—is, it seems to me, a fallacy which must be discarded before we can hope to see at all much less see clearly, the course of events and our part in them.

The Challenge Of Rhodesia's Settlers

By GEORGE ADDICOTT

Only half a century ago the Rhodesias—Northern and Southern, in Central Africa—were trackless veldt, swarming with wild life, animal and human, a land of savagery and bloodshed.

When a pioneer column organised by Cecil Rhodes, Prime Minister of Cape Colony and Africa's greatest empire-builder, came upon the spot in 1890 that is today Salisbury, the capital of Southern Rhodesia, the chief native tribe was the Matabele.

In the event of a federation of Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, and Nyasaland Salisbury would be the capital of a thriving new Dominion in Africa within the next 10 years.

But, unless there is a rapid and radical change in the British Government's attitude to the political development of the Central African territories, impressive plans being made for their economic development by the Colonial Office will fail.

The Colonial Secretary, Mr. Creech Jones, has recently ended a 4,000 mile tour of this area. He left behind him, in Northern Rhodesia, a good deal of resentment over the old-fashioned question of just how far the white settlers can take charge of territory in which the natives have an obvious moral stake, as well as an enormous majority.

Stirred by the European reaction to the Government's point of view on Northern Rhodesia in reply to a question in Parliament, Mr. Creech Jones is sceptical.

They feel that Whitehall should take more account of the experienced settlers' viewpoint. The settlers are wondering just what Mr. Creech Jones meant when he told them that it was British policy to encourage a degree of European development.

"We Are Boss"

Northern Rhodesia covers 280,322 square miles—more than three times the area of England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland together.

The African population of 1,690,000 is about half that of the West Riding, while the European population of 28,000 is not

even double that of England's smallest county, Rutland. Yet only 7,100 square miles—less than two and a half per cent of the territory—has been so far officially earmarked for European farm settlement.

The most outspoken critic of the Socialist colonial policy is 44-year-old heavy-weight boxer, Roy Welensky, anti-voiced, fast-talking leader of the Northern Rhodesia Labour Party.

Says Welensky: "I am prepared to work in partnership with the African people. For as long as I can foresee, we will be senior members in that partnership. The European community will be under any circumstances recognised as a minority of African interests."

On the other hand, Mr. Creech Jones obviously takes the line that protection of African rights is a self-governing, self-reliant full control from London. Federation with Southern Rhodesia, is a proposal that makes the Africans apprehensive.

He hinted to me that local politicians would be well advised to shelve federation and put down to what he called solid, constructive work in social and economic fields.

But the European settlers believe that the best way to speed up social and economic development is to give the men on the spot a much bigger voice in the management of the country.

There is a big difference between Northern and Southern Rhodesia. Both territories have been British for a similar period, but for the past quarter of a century Southern Rhodesia has been self-governing while Northern is administered direct from Whitehall.

Commerce, industry, agriculture, communications, government and municipal services are all far more advanced in the South than the North.

Mr. Creech Jones, for instance, inspected Southern Rhodesia's housing scheme for African industrial workers, which compares favourably with the industrial suburbs in Britain. He also saw a secondary school for African boys and girls with classrooms and dormitories fit for British children.

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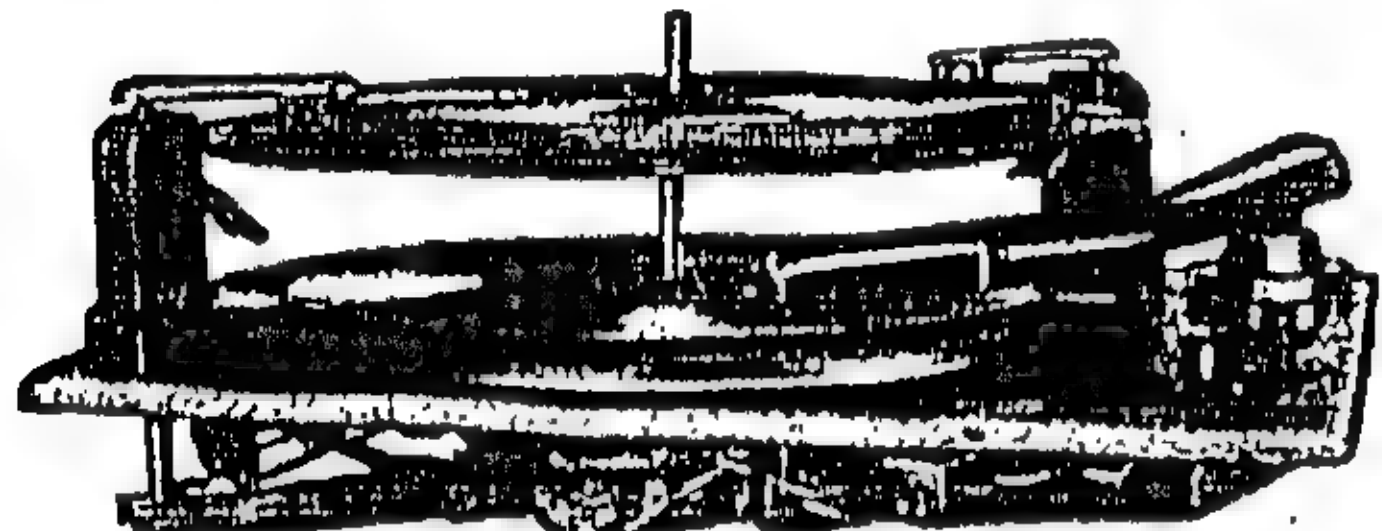
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LATEST ATTRACTION FOR BLACKPOOL

ATLANTIC TREATY UNDER RED FIRE

Rome, June 17.

Communist and neo-Fascist Deputies today joined forces in an attempt to delay Italy's ratification of the Atlantic Pact.

Russo Perez, neo-Fascist member, urged in the Chamber of Deputies' Foreign Affairs Commission that Italy postpone a decision until the United States Senate makes known its final views.

He was supported in this move by two Communist Deputies, but was opposed by the Christian Democrats.

The majority and minority groups in the Commission will now prepare separate reports on the Pact. These will be submitted to the Commission on July 1.

The debate in the Chamber of Deputies—where the full force of Communist opposition is expected to be mobilised—is unlikely to take place before mid-July, despite the Government's pleas that ratification be treated as a matter of urgency.

Rejecting the suggestion for a delay, Count Carlo Sforza, Foreign Minister, said that postponement of a decision would spread the impression abroad of a lack of firmness in Italian foreign policy.

A Guarantee

The Atlantic Pact is a treaty of security and guarantee against war, he declared.

It contains no provision binding Italy to hand over military bases to another power, and she could, if she desires, maintain neutrality in any new conflict.

The Government regards ratification as an important step towards the United Nations—Reuter.

Manila, June 17.

The Department of the Interior has ordered the Government of Quezon to keep a close watch on alleged wholesale illicit Chinese landings along the coast of the Province.—Reuter.

"Mr. X" A New Type Thermometer

New York, June 17.

The discovery of a new type of cricket that can be used as an insect thermometer and give temperature to a split degree was disclosed today. The newly discovered cricket does not have a name yet but is known as "Mr. X".

The feat of "Mr. X" is described in the magazine "Natural History" by Dr. Cleve Hallenbeck, a meteorologist who died two months ago before he had a chance to make further studies of his discovery.

Dr. Hallenbeck, who lived in Roswell, New Mexico, said "Mr. X" is more accurate for determining temperature on hot nights than other members of his insect world, including the snowy tree cricket.

"X" cricket, according to Dr. Hallenbeck's report, apparently is a native of Mexico. He had never seen the insect but reported he had conducted numerous experiments by listening to the insect's chirping.

Cricket's, for years, have been known as a means to test temperature, but some are contrary, according to Dr. Hallenbeck. For instance, he said, the black field cricket is a rather exasperating thermometer for he does not often chirp.

Dr. Hallenbeck said: "If the reaction to temperature of all our common outdoor insects were known, the farmer in the field would be able to determine temperature with a tolerable degree of accuracy almost any hour of the day. Insects are not more sensitive to temperature changes than warm-blooded animals but, unlike the latter, their body temperature is practically the same as that of the air around them."—United Press.

Madras, June 17.

More than a thousand dockers who went on strike yesterday for higher wages and stopped the unloading of three foodships returned to work today when they were assured that their grievances will be sympathetically considered.—Reuter.

WESTERN UNION OPENS LUXEMBOURG MEETINGS

Luxembourg, June 17.

The British Foreign Secretary, Mr. Ernest Bevin, wants more publicity for the social and cultural work of the Consultative Council of Western Union.

At the end of the first session of the Council's sixth meeting here tonight it was understood that Mr. Bevin made a plea for more publicity when reports on the work of the Sub-Committees on social and cultural matters are taken up.

M. Robert Schuman, French Foreign Minister, told reporters after the meeting that the discussion of military matters was reserved for tomorrow.

Mr. Paul-Henri Spaak, the Belgian Prime Minister and Foreign Minister, said: "We tackled the easiest questions first."

Mr. Bevin, it is understood, reminded his colleagues that the work of the Consultative Council, under the terms of the Brussels treaty, is not exclusively military or political.

Their purpose is also to create a real union between the peoples of their countries.

The cultural report, which explained that the five Powers had, in the past year, exchanged education experts and teachers, indicated that courses for Government officials are planned for later this year and next year.

The Consultative Council, it is understood, also discussed the ideas of the five Powers for the agenda of the meeting of the Council of Europe in August in Strasbourg.

The Council meets again tomorrow morning.

Defence Plans

There is no published agenda for the Consultative Council. The main headings for the discussions at the meetings in Luxembourg will probably be as follows:

(1) Co-ordination of Western Union joint defence plans and budgets with the organisation of the Atlantic treaty powers in the military field. This is on the assumption that the United States Congress will vote for the necessary sums, after ratification, for military assistance to European powers who are members of the Atlantic Union.

(2) A report by Mr. Bevin and M. Schuman on the Council of Foreign Ministers in Paris.

(3) The relationship of Western Union to the Council of Europe and especially of the Consultative Council of Western Union to the Committee of Foreign Ministers in the Council of Europe.

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ERNEST BEVIN

Recovery Delay In Philippines

New York, June 17.

The Wall Street Journal, in a Washington dispatch surveying the three-year rehabilitation programme for the Philippines, said today that despite the \$300,000,000 already spent, United States officials are worried over the slow pace of recovery.

Adding that \$500,000,000 additional dollars are to flow into the Philippines, the dispatch quoted informed sources as attributing the bog down to:

1. Normal growing pains of the newly-independent country fresh from a damaging war.

2. The feeling that the United States will always come with dollars to her rescue.

3. Frightened capital, both Filipino and American.

4. Philippine Government indecision.

5. Fear of nationalisation.

6. Fears that the Philippine Government, once it does make up its mind, will overreach itself on plans for self-sufficiency.—United Press.

Lexington, June 17.

The University of Kentucky announced today that negroes will be admitted to classes with white students this year for the first time.—United Press.

RUSSIA REJECTS BRITISH NOTE

London, June 17.

The Foreign Office tonight released the text of a Soviet note to Britain rejecting complaints about the failure to repatriate German prisoners of war in the Soviet Union.

The note, received earlier this month, was sent in reply to a British note delivered in Moscow last March maintaining that the Soviet Government is bound by the decision of the meeting of the Council of Foreign Ministers held in Moscow in 1947 to repatriate all German prisoners of war by December, 1948.

It claimed that at least 100,000 German prisoners have been detained in the Soviet Union and proposed an international commission to investigate the condition of all remaining prisoners held in any territories.

Similar notes were delivered by the United States and French Governments.

The State Department also announced from Washington to-

night that this appeal was rejected in a Soviet note to the United States received on June 15.

A Foreign Office statement tonight said that the rate of repatriation from the Soviet Union to the Western zones of Germany was accelerated in March and April, but has since been reduced.

Only 17,000 German prisoners it is stated, were repatriated during May to the three Western zones.

The Soviet note repeated the claim made in earlier Soviet communications that responsibility for the interruption of repatriation plans rests with the three Western Powers which it blamed for the breakdown of the work of the Allied Control Council in Berlin.—Reuter.

Russia Bombarded By Meteorites

Moscow, June 17.

The newspaper "Izvestia" reported today that meteorites bombarded the Chelyabinsk area of Russia on June 11.

There were three deafening roars resembling the thunder of guns as the meteors exploded in the sky leaving enormous white trails.

Then came a whistling sound as the meteorites fell to the earth over an area of 3,600,000 square feet. The largest fragment weighed 50 pounds.

"Izvestia" said: "One crushed a grain elevator."

The paper said that a chemical analysis showed that the meteorites were composed of pure iron, sulphurous iron and nickel silicate.—United Press.

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A CHAMPION WAITS FOR THE GONG

"See this," said the big man in the armchair, and he stuck out his lower lip. Half a dozen white marks showed up vividly against the redness of the skin; scars of stitches put in more than a quarter of a century ago.

"I'll show you something else," he said, and guided my fingers to his nose. "Feel these broken bones. I got 'em at the same time. Now touch this ear. Harder—you won't hurt it," as I gingerly felt the half-inch thickness of flesh that had once been his left ear.

Joe Beckett, former British heavyweight champion, or "Champion of England" as he prefers to call himself, was showing me his scars. He got every one of them from his lip, the broken nose, the swollen ear—within 20 minutes at London's Royal Albert Hall, on an autumn night in 1922; 20 of the bloodiest and most gruelling minutes in the history of British boxing.

Joe Beckett won the fight. There's no point in enquiring what happened to the other fellow. Enough to say that he was an American named Frank Moran who had knocked out Beckett in two rounds a couple of years earlier. Beckett, jacking his wounds after his second contest, smiled in grim satisfaction in the knowledge that the referee had intervened after six rounds to save the American from further battering.

"A Good Hiding"

But Beckett, always a realist, speaks today as though he lost that fight. "Moran gave me a damn good hiding," he says bluntly. "He handed out the most terrific lacing I ever had in my career."

"He caught me in the first round and hurt me badly. My head swam. I could scarcely breathe. All the time I knew I had to avoid his right—the swing he called his 'Merry Ann'—which had put me away in our first encounter."

"I kept out of further trouble, and we just tore into each other like a couple of dogs. We were up and down so many times I lost count. I was too strong for him—that's what beat him at the finish."

"But I paid for it. I was in terrible pain all night. My stomach felt as though it had been kicked, my arms and shoulders ached, my mouth was sore, and my ear swelled so much that in the middle of the night I had to send for a surgeon to lance it."

"I looked a mess next day with my face covered in bandages. When word reached my hotel that a crowd was waiting at Waterloo to see me off back home to Southampton, I couldn't face them. After all, I reasoned, if I had lost they wouldn't be there to see me. So I hired a car and went home by road."

"Today, Joe Beckett still avoids crowds. The man who used to gaze out from his corner of a floodlit island in a sea of faces waiting for an evening's bruising and blood-spilling now spends his

days looking after his pigs, chickens and geese on the nine acres surrounding his bungalow near Basingstoke, Hampshire, where he lives with his wife and their five children.

Booth Fighter

Joe is 57 years old. He has added weight to the 14 stone at which he finished fighting, yet his vivid blue eyes are as alert as ever. Joe no longer plans his days as he did when an training, but takes each job as it comes. The air is good and sweet; his property investments bring him a modest income. He is king of his castle, and should be happy. But he isn't. Though never a gambler, he asks little more of life than the placid existence of

Sensational Defeats

Though Beckett is rated by many as the best British heavyweight in memory, he is chiefly remembered for his two sensational one-round defeats at the hands of Georges Carpentier. The first lasted 64 seconds; the second went only a quarter of that time.

At their first meeting, just before Christmas, 1919, Beckett made the mistake of bringing down his arm to ward off a left to the heart. By doing so he uncovered his chin, and the Frenchman, speedy as a flyweight, leaped in with a right to the jaw. The count of 10 was little more than a formality.

Four years passed before the big Englishman had his chance of revenge. But he was ageing now, and had not fully recovered from the effects of his terrible nose. While he blinked from the pain, came a right to the cheek. Before he realised the fight had begun, he took a "postman's knock"—a right to the jaw and a left hook on the eye. Both were off the target, but were enough to send him down for a count of six.

The Frenchman, eyes blazing, saw his chance for the kill. The moment Beckett was on his feet Carpentier hurled himself across the ring.

A right to the chin, delivered with all his strength, connected perfectly, and the ring posts shook as Beckett slumped down again. This time there was no beating the count. As the referee reached "nine" a towel fluttered over the ropes from Beckett's corner.

That towel was the curtain call for the victim, only boos and hisses. Beckett never fought again.

The storm raged for days. When Beckett went home he found himself walking alone for the first time in years. The idolisers had vanished.

Now Beckett, in a state of self-imposed but irksome inactivity, digs his garden and feeds the pigs, but this type of domesticity does not appeal. He is restless for something he cannot define.

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Choice For Men On The World's Roof

By A.C.S. TEBBITT, Special Correspondent

A silent diplomatic love affair with no radio barrage, no newspaper articles and no publicity to help the wooing, but with a few threats and many promises, is going on up on the Roof of the World.

The wood is Tibet and the wooers are China, Russia and India. The prize from India's point of view is greater security and from China's and Russia's point of view, strategic advantage in spreading—"The Word" over a large slice of Asia.

Tibet is fully conscious of her attraction for her three great neighbours and she is fully aware of the reasons.

She would prefer to stay single and is reported to have approached Sikkim, another small state which borders on China, Tibet and India, and the Russian-dominated Chinese "Dominion" of Sinkiang, with the idea of suggesting an alliance which might put her in such a position that Russia, China and India would all be anxious to guarantee her continued independence rather than she be entirely dominated by any one of them.

But her likelihood of success in this sphere is remote.

Sikkim also wants to stay independent if possible and feels that she would be no better off dominated by Tibet than she would be by any other country.

So Tibet knows that sooner or later she must make her choice.

Culturally she is nearest China—she was a Chinese province for hundreds of years till the British helped her gain her uncertain independence in 1913.

Economically she is closest to India. Practically the whole of

beyond a desire to get back to the comparatively faster tempo of life in his beloved Southamton.

Beckett has the reputation of being something of a recluse. But break down the barriers and you find a warm-hearted man who speaks generously of his old rivals and with modesty of his own achievements.

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her trade is either to India or through India and the only foreign currency recognised is the Indian Rupee.

No Direct Ties

With Russia she has no direct ties, except perhaps that the greatest library on Tibet is in Leningrad. But Russia is not a country to be trifled with or who easily takes no for an answer.

If the British were still in India the answer to the problem would be simple.

She would ask for British protection and be able to figuratively thumb her nose at both China and Russia—as she did in the past. But the British prop has been removed and she realises that she can no longer live in splendid and safe isolation.

Although she is to be a republic, India is still in the Commonwealth and Tibet is inclined towards seeking Indian protection but she would very much like to know what would be the immediate reactions of Russia and China.

Russia's attitude is the easiest to foretell.

There would be no immediate difference but just a gradual intensification of Soviet efforts to spread Communism among the peasants who now look upon the Dalai Lama as a Heaven-sent King and the other Lamas as lesser gods. The Tibetan way of life is an anathema to Russia, and the Kremlin would give a great deal to break the power of the Lamas.

The Chinese attitude is harder to foresee.

Chinese Attitude

It largely depends on the power the Chinese Communists have over the peasants in the surrounding districts. The Dalai Lama is the spiritual ruler of a large area of Sinkiang and Chinese Turkestan which borders on Tibet.

If his power has not been broken then nothing will be done except to induce him to take his "advisers" from the Chinese areas of his "Spiritual Kingdom" when he comes of age in 1957 and, through these, hope to dominate the country gradually. But, if the Communists have really a tight hold on the area, then there is a possibility of border raids and even annexation of outlying districts and eventually the whole country.

Communism is coming nearer to the borders of India every day and with every success of the Communists in China.

Already India is fully awake to the possibilities of Communist infiltration through Nepal and Bhutan should the Communists overrun the whole of China which seems very likely at the moment. And with the likelihood of having to guarantee the integrity of Tibet, her military and diplomatic responsibilities increase daily.

It is perhaps with these responsibilities in mind that Pandit Nehru, at a recent Press conference on his return from London, hotly defended India's remaining in the Commonwealth.

He stressed the fact that India's Army, Navy and Air Force are based on the British model and that when their strength is vital to India in the present state of world affairs it would be the height of foolishness to cut herself off from the source of her armaments and from the valuable military advice which Britain is able and willing to give.



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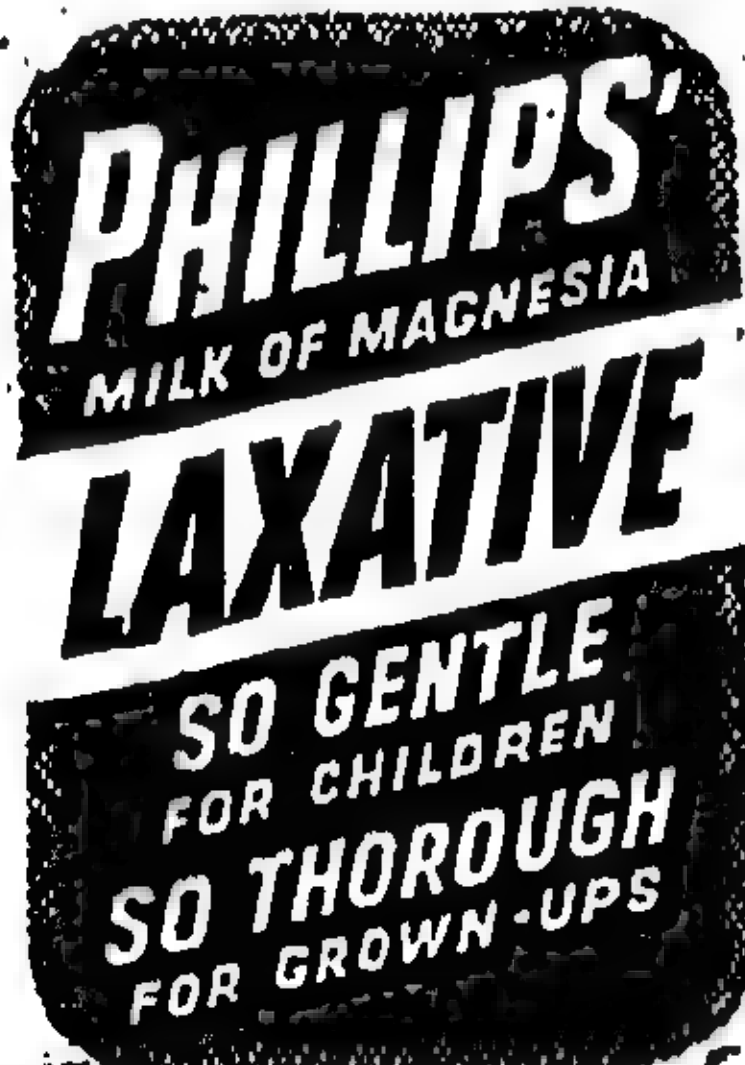
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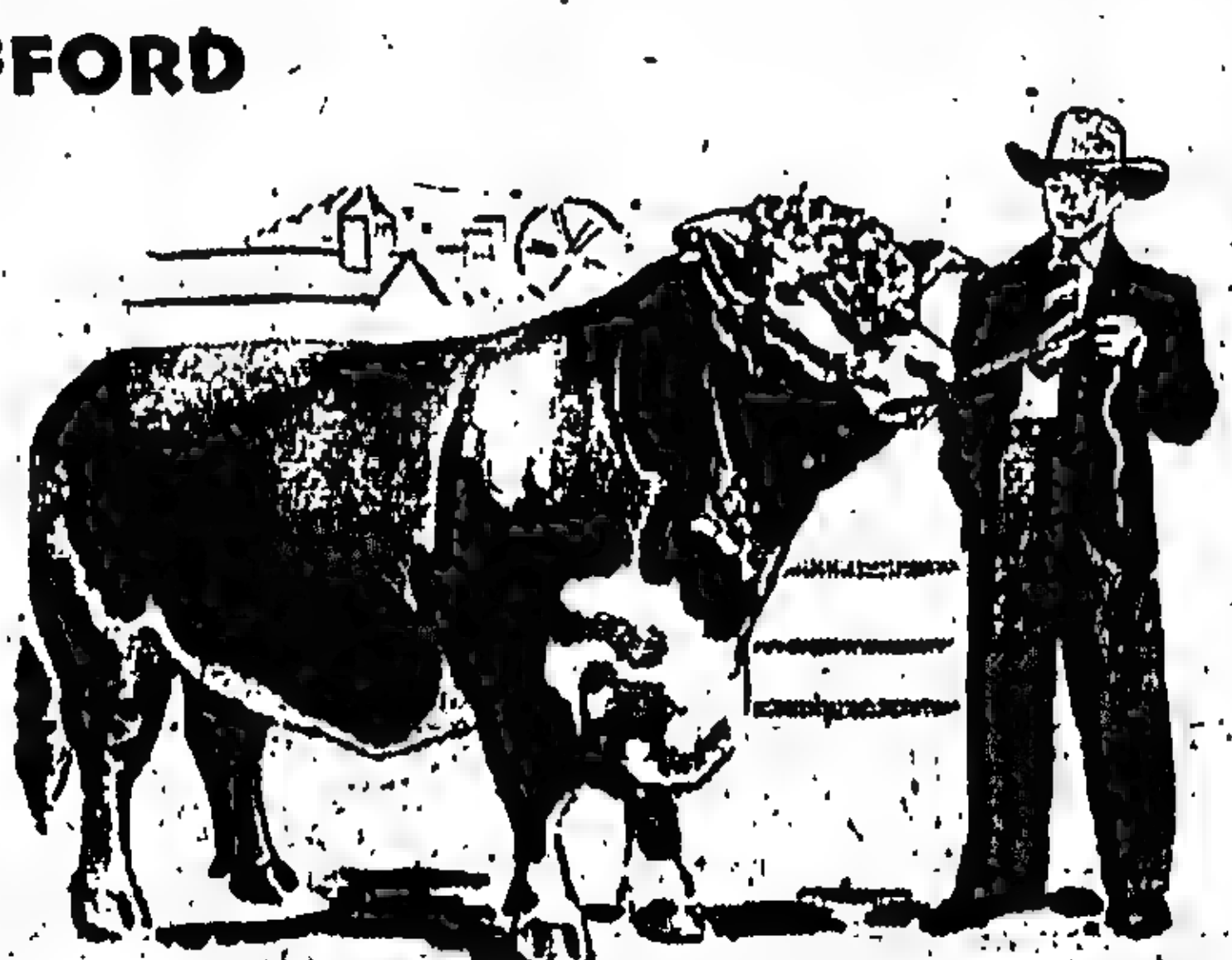
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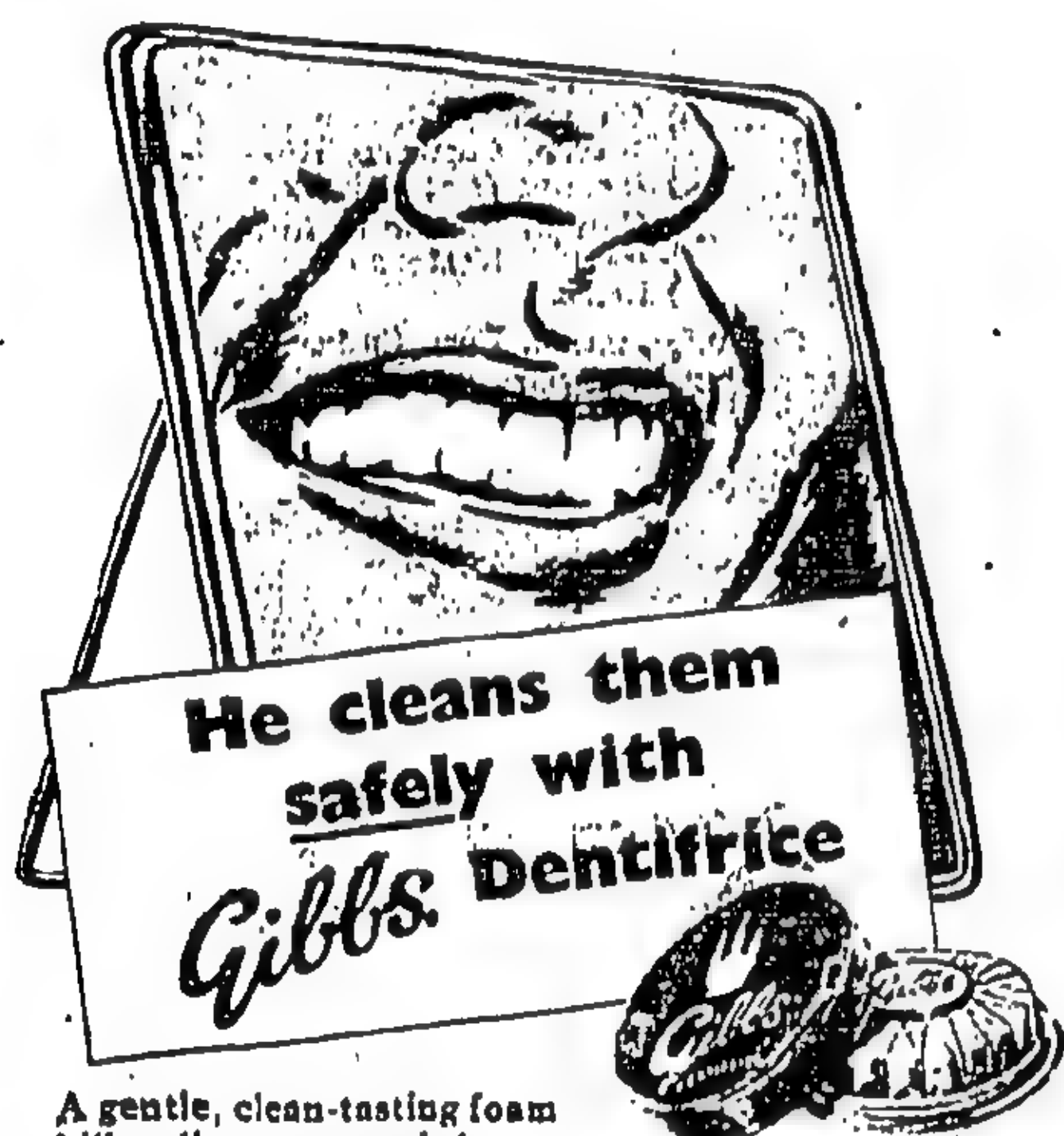
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Between Ourselves

Beauty In The Hot Weather:

CASE OF THE VANISHING FACIAL MAKE-UP

By CLAUDIA

Of all our hot weather beauty problems perhaps the most persistent and exasperating is the "vanishing" quality of make-up.

We go out with a perfectly good and carefully applied make-up but alas! by the time we reach our appointment, we seem to have lost it on the way. At least, there is very little left to show for all our trouble. And when some kind friend comments "my dear, how hot you look," that adds the final straw!

There are a number of ways of trying to cope with this problem. Some favour the "mopping up" method, adding extra dabs of powder from time to time, but the final result, sad to confess, is rather puddingy.

Then there is the "fresh start" technique, which involves disappearing for lengthy periods and doing the whole job over again... much too exhausting for this weather. Some even start off with an extra thick make-up in the hopes that, being more of it, it will last longer.

None of these methods are in the least satisfactory, for beauty, like any sound business, must be built on a firm foundation. The more of the right foundation, the more the problem of summer make-up. A light make-up on the right foundation is the secret.

Each year brings fresh research and improved or new foundations for different types of skin, and in hot weather, liquid or solid foundations usually prove the most suitable.

While a cream foundation is more likely to melt into the skin, a liquid or "cake" foundation has the advantage of staying on the surface of the skin much longer. Liquid foundations are blended to suit individual skin textures, from the fine and dry, to the more coarse and oily. There is no need to fear that these lotion foundations will dry up the skin, for reputable manufacturers take great care to provide a suitable formula for every skin.

The best way to use a liquid

foundation is to apply by the fingertips straight from the bottle, patting in evenly and quickly before the liquid has time to dry, doing a small area at a time. This will leave a smooth, matt finish, ready to receive a light dusting of powder.

Powder Case

Cake make-up now comes in several different types. There is the powder cake, which gives a very light make-up. This is a special blend of powder and cream to be applied all in one. The puff is rubbed on the make-up quite easily without clogging. Then there is the cake make-up, which is applied with a small, damp sponge, very easy to use, and beautifully smooth if the sponge is just damp enough without being wet. The advantage of this make-up is that it needs no powder at first and lasts very well. Later, a little powder dusted over will make it perfect again.

And lastly, there is the new quick make-up in stick form which needs no sponge.

These solid types of foundation are really a make-up in themselves. They can be applied as lightly or as heavily as you choose, but for hot weather, you will find a light application by far the best.

Always use your skin tonic or astringent before making up, choose liquid or solid foundation to suit your skin and your summer make-up will cease to be a problem.

Ann Temple

Wit And Sense Of Fun

Is there a recipe for the ever-ready witty answer?

In some circles it is the thing. Unable to contribute, one feels dull, dumb, and inferior.

I am serious-minded, but admire this ready wit and sense of fun. Can it be cultivated?—S. L.

Banter—the wit of words—can be cultivated. But not the wit of ideas.

Discard ideas and thought in this technique. Don't probe, don't examine, don't analyse. Take the froth and sparkle at the froth and sparkle's worth.

You have heard of that psychological test when you are given a word and you have to rap back whatever that word suggests to you? Let that same associative process operate in your bantering.

Practice is everything. The companionship of a jolly crowd of

schoolboys and girls would give you a good start. Speed and spontaneity come quickly. The ever-ready answer will soon be yours. But the ever-ready witty answer depends on whether you have the gift of wit.

My husband has suddenly made a lot of money and has met new people and, made a new set of friends, a fast-living, hard-drinking set.

Do I stick to my old friends, whom my husband now claims don't move with the times, or join his set as he wishes and try for his sake to do as they do, even though I disapprove of them and feel awkward with them? If I don't join him he will go off on his own with them. —PERPLEXED.

A plagues problem for a wife, if ever there was one.

I wouldn't make it an impenetrable either/or if I were you. Try to hold the fort (he may be glad to get back to it before long) and snail out too. Keep your old friends for yourself and go some way to comply with his wish. It is to the good that he does want you to be with him.

But not "to do as they do" and yet not be a wet blanket. That's a poser. Go to your most pleasant self, show your interest, pleasure, amusement, kindness, without being drawn into doing anything of which you disapprove. Stand on your most all-wise ground.

Do this really well and your husband will be proud of you, even profoundly grateful if asked when he discovers that his new friends like his money more than they like him. It could well happen.

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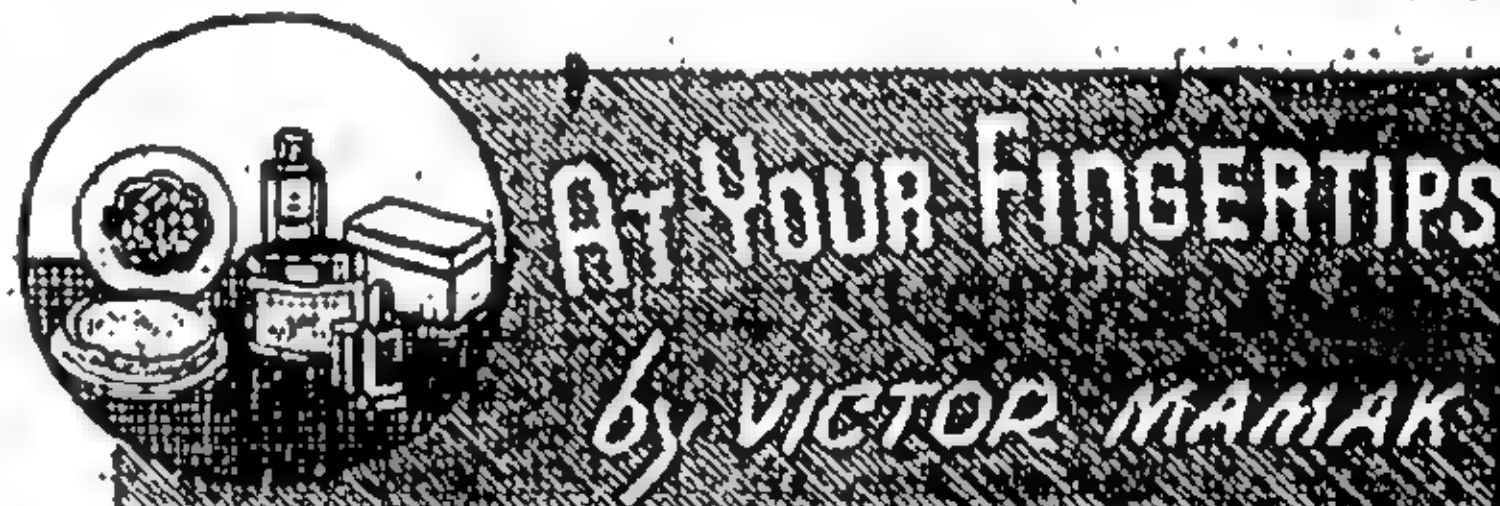
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London Fashions



EVENING CLOTHES IN LONDON show a variety of silhouettes. This lovely model by Victor Stiebel is in pale rose pink brocade with a lily design; the wide skirt spreads out from the slender waist and the draped shoulder line narrows into tiny sleeves.



AT YOUR FINGERTIPS
by VICTOR MAMAK

"Dear Mr. Mamak,

I use one of the most expensive face powders and yet it gives me a "caky" look. Would you please recommend a really good face powder? I am 38 and my complexion is on the sallow side. Also please suggest a suitable shade for my type of complexion."

G.W.

The "caky" look points to one or more of the five following causes:

- Your face powder is heavy
- You have a dry skin
- You are not using a powder base, or, at least, not the proper one
- Your face is not absolutely moisture-free when you apply powder
- You use face powder too liberally

Remove the cause and you will have the effect you want.

High price is not the criterion of the merit of an article. What you need is a very fine powder and some inexpensive powders are very finely milled. I cannot name the brand in these columns, but if you send me your full address, I shall be glad to mail my recommendation to you.

Regarding the shade, suitable for you, I would suggest one with a pink cast. Sallow skins look best with pink tints in face powder are worn.

"Dear Mr. Mamak,
Is it true that the sun dries the hair and turns it brown? I am

very fond of the beach, and I find that my black hair is turning brown and getting dry. What shall I do?"

The sun will dry almost anything. Yes, it is true the hair "sunburns." I would suggest that you choose a good brand of oil for dry hair and use it daily, or at least when you go to swim. Brush your hair regularly, and wear a wide, loosely woven straw hat on the beach.

If you have any beauty problems, send them in to Victor Mamak, c/o the Sunday Herald, and they will be answered in these columns.

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"TJIBADAK"	22nd June	24th June
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SHANGHAI

SAILINGS ARRIVALS

"TJISADANE"	21st June	23rd June
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SINGAPORE, PENANG and BELAWAN DELI

SAILINGS ARRIVALS

"VAN RIEMSDIJK"	20th June	20th June
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PAYMENT SCHEME IN EUROPE BOGGED DOWN

Paris, June 17.

A last minute attempt to break down the difficulties into which the Organisation for European Economic Co-operation has got itself over the intra-European payments scheme for the second Marshall Aid year will be made in Brussels next Thursday.

The Chairman of the O. E. E. C., the Belgian Prime Minister, Mr. Paul-Henri Spaak, has called an emergency meeting of what has come to be known as the "Big Four" of the O. E. E. C.

SURCHARGE ON SHIP FREIGHTS

Bombay, June 17.

A surcharge of 25 per cent on all shipping freight rates from the United Kingdom and the Continent to Bombay will be imposed on and after June 30, it was announced in London today.

A spokesman for the conference of British, Indian, Belgian, Dutch and Scandinavian lines, which has been discussing the matter by telegraph and telephone since yesterday, told Reuters that the surcharge has been found necessary solely on account of the very heavy congestion at Bombay, with consequent serious delays in the turn round of vessels.

A seven-week freight "war" on the Europe-India shipping routes began last March when two Netherlands lines withdrew from the agreement governing freight rates as they were not satisfied with the granting of rights to a Danish line.

The thought that their allocation of India trade formerly in German hands was small. The Dutch lines then initiated a rate cutting rivalry.

The "war" ended with an agreement by which the rate of freight charges was restored to the level operating before the "war" began.

Mr. M. A. Master, General Manager of the Scindia Steamship Company, said in London at that time that Indian shipping lines had had to give away a large portion of the trade from their own country to bring about the settlement.

The proposal for a 25 per cent surcharge on freight rates to Bombay was submitted this week's conference from Bombay, according to a Bombay report on Wednesday—Reuters.

COAL RATIONING IN AUSTRALIA

Sydney, June 17.

Due to a threatened coal strike the New South Wales Joint Coal Board announced drastic rationing which cut railway services, electricity and gas supplies in half.

Rationing will start at midnight on Saturday and continue indefinitely. It will cut deeply into the steel industry and allow general industry only one-quarter of its normal coal consumption.—United Press.

U.S. TRADING WITH CHINA

Washington, June 18.

Some Government officials expect an increase in the export of U.S. merchandise to Communist portions of China as a result of the trade regulations just announced by the Reds.

A big backlog of Chinese orders piled up in the U.S. after the Nationalists refused to allow the goods to enter China.—Associated Press.

LONDON STOCKS

London, June 18.

British Government securities declined in the stock market as light selling and found little support. Other sections of the market were idle but some industrial improved fractionally. Oils held steady and Kaffirs eased somewhat.

Financial Times' Index 104.0.—Associated Press.

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New York Stock Exchange

New York, June 18.

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Transfers 800,000—smallest total since last October.

Among gains: Phelps Dodge, 3.0; American Woolen, Northern Pacific, Union Pacific, Twentieth Century Fox.

Stumblers included U.S. Smelter, Douglas Aircraft, Western Union, Santa Fe, Sinclair Oil, Texas Company.

Dow Jones averages: Stocks 58.52; 20 Industrials 163.78; 30 Bonds 42.52; 10 Utilities 58.22.

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NY COTTON

New York, June 18.

Cotton futures were steady in quiet trading. Closed 35 to 75 cents a bale higher.

July 33.00-01, October 29.36-37, December 29.12, March 29.07.

May 29.01 nominal, July 29.01 nominal, July 29.00 bid.

Middling Spot 33.72 nominal. Associated Press.

SHIP MOVEMENTS

San Francisco, June 18.

Ship arrivals, General Hugh J. Gaffey from Yokohama, Mongaberts from Philippines.

Departure June 16, Mount Mansfield for Kobe.—Associated Press.

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Ship Arrives At Tsingtao

San Francisco, June 17.

Trade between Tsingtao and overseas has been resumed, the Communist-controlled Peiping Radio reported tonight.

It said that a ship from Hong Kong has arrived at Tsingtao with a cargo of communication equipment and printing materials.

The Radio reported that by order of the Military Control Committee all goods at present exported from Tsingtao must be exchanged for imported goods of equivalent value and needed by people living in Communist-occupied areas.

Radio Peiping further reported a steady fall in the prices of commodities in Shanghai as the result of dumping on the market of such articles as yarn, cloth, grain, cooking oil and fuel.—Reuters.

Devaluing Of Pound Premature

New York, June 17.

Donald L. Gill, Secretary of the American Chamber of Commerce in London, said on arrival here today that the devaluation of the Pound by the British Government at present would be premature.

On a combined business and holiday trip, Mr. Gill declared: "Devaluation at this time would be a dead loss to Britain's balance of payments position." However, he said that Britain will have to face the problem at the termination of the ECA aid period.

He said: "The value fixed then will be influenced considerably by prices prevailing, both here and in Britain."

Mr. Gill conceded that there are delays by Americans in placing orders with Britain but attributed those delays as much to complaints over the quality as to uncertainty regarding Sterling's future.—United Press.

Money Market

US dollars were steady yesterday, opening at HK\$6.24 and closing at \$6.23 1/2, after an interval at \$6.22.

TT opened at HK\$6.10 and closed at HK\$6.15, after an interval at HK\$6.10.

Plastres were nominal at HK\$3-11.87 1/2 a 100.

Tickets were at HK\$25.50 a 100 and NEI Guilders at HK\$36.50 a 100.

REMBRANDT SOLD

London, June 17.

A small Rembrandt, measuring 8-3/4 inches by nine inches, in pen, wash and red chalk, fetched £4,200 at a London auction today.

It was a small sheet of studies of seven heads of men and a sketch of a woman nursing a baby.

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MY FIGHT WITH WOODCOCK

(By FREDDY MILLS)

Britain looks like having a heavyweight champion of the world this year. That's fine, except that the fly in the ointment is that it won't be me. Too bad. I had really set my heart on it, you know, but Bruce Woodcock's right-hand dig kyboshed my hopes at White City, London, on Thursday night.

"Poor old Freddy, Good old Bruce," the fans are saying as fighters' fortunes change with fickleness no other game can match. Well, I can tell them that, much as I appreciate all their kind words to me, I'm happy to know that there's a hundred per cent champion to keep the old country's flag flying in world boxing affairs.

Make no mistake about it, Bruce is just that. Deep inside me, ever since our first meeting three years ago, I've always had a healthy respect for his right hand. Right now I know that even at that I had made the same mistake as a lot of other people in under-estimating its power.

He had everything at stake—the three titles he held, a world championship fight, round the corner. If you ask me that was uppermost in his mind when he cracked me on the chin with a punch of a right in the very first round. All his hopes, his ambitions, were back of that one punch. If they weren't, heaven help the man who meets him when he really feels that way, because it was the hardest wallop I ever stopped in my life.

Bukst belted me, and Lesnevich isn't actually a slouch when it comes to clean, concise hitting. Behind any of his blows that the new Woodcock packs into his.

A New Woodcock

It is a new Woodcock, you know. I really think he was a man and a half compared to our previous set-to. And no one can give away 20 pounds, as I was trying to do, to a man and a half. He hit me so often, on the chin, on the neck, with crushing punches under the heart, that there were times when I was wondering what had gone wrong with me.

I may not have been the Freddy Mills who licked Lesnevich for the world title. Perhaps I didn't box so well, or punch so hard. But I gave him everything I had, and it wasn't enough. Bruce's nose, running like a tap for three-quarters of the fight, was proof of the accuracy of my blows, but, fit as I was, I just couldn't match his line condition and his supreme confidence.

That's a point I had most of the psychological advantage. Even at the weight in, when, with no thought in mind but to relieve the nervous tension which was casting a gloom over the assembled company, I burst into song with "There's no business like fight business," I wondered whether my song might have been a mere merriment for a loop, but I never had illusions about that in the ring.

His eyes fixed me all the time like a python watching for the kill, and except for the brief spells when I reported to straight-left tactics, he was invariably the gunner. If you could score with a left, why didn't you keep boxing him instead of mixing it? You may well ask.

Truth is that my temperament just won't let me. Maybe impetuously should be my middle name, but I must go in throwing punches. Of course, when you do that, you have to take 'em as well, and I really took 'em.

Heavier To Handle

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Brothers Re-United After Bowls Game

Cheltenham, June 17.

Two brothers, who had not seen each other for 40 years, have been re-united after a game of bowls here. A bowls team from Oxford here, a Gloucester club was playing a Gloucester club when the Oxford team noticed a man playing for the other team who was very much like one of their players.

They made enquiries and found that he had the same surname. Letters were exchanged and the two brothers were re-united.

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BRADBURY SAVES CCC FROM DEFEAT AT HANDS OF IRC IN FIRST DIVISION BOWLS GAME

Craigengower Cricket Club, leaders in the First Division of the Lawn Bowls League, almost met their Waterloo yesterday when they visited Indian Recreation Club at Sookunpoo.

It was only the brilliant display and magnificent leadership of Bradbury which saved the day for Craigengower, who scraped home to a narrow two shot victory over the Indians, who played a rousing game. The final score was 57-55 in favour of Craigengower.

Another exciting tussle was seen at Austin Road, where Kowloon Bowling Green Club beat the Kowloon Dock Club 61-52 in the only other First Division game played.

In the Second Division, Club de Recreio strengthened their position at the top of the League Table when they beat Craigengower Cricket Club at Happy Valley by five points.

Kowloon Bowling Green Club, who entertained Kowloon Dock Club in a Second Division game at Austin Road, beat their opponents by 60 shots to 55, while Filipino Club, playing at home, went down to Indian Recreation Club, the final score being 57-42.

The only game played in the Third Division was that between the Kowloon Bowling Green Club and Prison Officers Club, which resulted in a win for KBGC by 65 shots to 55.

The First Division game between Kowloon Cricket Club and Police Recreation Club was postponed, as were also the Third Division games Kowloon Cricket Club versus Police Recreation Club and Club de Recreio versus Kowloon Dock Club.

FIRST DIVISION

IRC—CCC

An exciting finish marked the First Division Lawn Bowls game between Craigengower Cricket Club and Indian Recreation Club at Sookunpoo, the Valley team snatching a victory by two shots although losing on two rinks. The final score was 57-55.

Craigengower's victory was, without doubt, due to the brilliant leadership of veteran Bradbury, who played a sterling game throughout and extricated his team from an awkward position. After two rinks had finished in favour of the Indians, Bradbury and Minu had three more heads to play. The Indians were then leading by three shots, but Bradbury and his merry men soon evened the score.

The second last head found the Indians lying a shot when the skip went down to roll. With his last shot, Bradbury drew first shot to give his team a lead of one shot, with the last head to be decided.

On this head, Hassan drew shots and Ali added another. Leonard was heavy and was a yard through. Ali, with his second shot, was also heavy and trailed the jack to give the shot away.

The position remained unchanged after the skip had rolled their respective woods. U.M. Omar lost his second match of the season when he was beaten by J. Hoosen after an exciting game. M.I. Razack was very handy with his drawing and had his name sake beaten time and again. A. F. Russell proved to be the sheet anchor of the rink while A. R. Minu and Hoosen did what was expected from them.

U.M. Omar and his brother K.M. Omar put up a gallant fight, but found their front men short woods too much for them. On the other rink U.A. Rumjahn proved too good for Joe Landolt and won by nine shots.

There was not much to choose between the front men of the respective rinks but when it came to the skip to roll, Rumjahn was Landolt's master.

Landolt's penchant for driving probably caused him his first defeat.

IRC	CCC
M.B. Hassan	J.C.H. Houza
J. Ali	J.W. Leonard
A.M. Rumjahn	A.E. Conter
A.K. Minu	B.W. Bradbury
(Skip)	(Skip)
M.I. Razack	A.A. Razack
A.J. Hoosen	Francis Lee
A.R. Minu	K.M. Omar
J. Hoosen	U.M. Omar
(Skip)	(Skip)
K.M. Rumjahn	J.H. Xavier
A.R. Kitchell	G.A. Souza
S. Yusuf	A.M. Omar
U.A. Rumjahn	J.S. Landolt
(Skip)	(Skip)
Total	Total
55	57

KDC—KBGC

Visiting Kowloon Dock Club beat their First Division Lawn Bowls game, Kowloon Bowling Green Club.

several a maximum five points to beat the Kowloon Dock Club after an exciting finish. The visitors won by nine shots, the final score being 61-52.

Making his debut as skip, W.C. Simpson scored his first win at the expense of J. Ramsey by one shot after a thrilling game which ended with the score at 61-52.

KDC	KBGC
W. Marshall	J. Tindall
A. Elliot	A.L.G. Eastman
W. Davidson	L.A. Collier
W. McMaster	J. McKelvie
(Skip)	(Skip)
A. Maron	J.G. Meyer
A. McInnes	E.A. Atkins
W. Gaffney	G.E.F. Thompson
A. Graham	L. Sykes
(Skip)	(Skip)
W. Blyth	F. A. Plume
A. Lapsley	J. Gaudin
C. Logan	J. Fraser
J. Ramsey	W.C. Simpson
(Skip)	(Skip)
Total	Total
52	61

SECOND DIVISION

CCC—Recreio

Club de Recreio further consolidated their position at the top of the Second Division Bowls League, when they defeated Craigengower Cricket Club at Happy Valley by five points to nil.

Recreio won on all rinks, securing a total of 72 shots to their opponents' 42.

CCC	Recreio
R. Tay	A. M. Silva
S. R. Solina	P. A. Costa
E. J. Howard	N. A. Beltrao
W. S. Frank	A. A. Lopes
(Skip)	(Skip)
G. Hong Choy	L. S. Silva
C. A. Coelho	J. P. Xavier
A. H. Rumjahn	M. F. Pina
A. J. Coelho	E. M. Alarcón
(Skip)	(Skip)
G. Ludd	R. M. V. Ribeiro
C. W. Lam	A. Pinos
H. A. Boleho	E. M. Remedios
S. Marvin	A. F. Noronha
(Skip)	(Skip)
Total	Total
42	72

KBGC—KCC

Playing at home in their Second Division Lawn Bowls match, Kowloon Bowling Green Club beat Prison Officers Club at Austin Road by 65 shots to 55.

Each team won on one rink and the third finished all square.

The home team therefore scored 3½ points to their opponents 1½.

KBGC	KCC
W. H. Bailey	L. Brandy
J. G. Meyer	J. Tang
D. Traill	J. Tiddle
R. J. Wigginton	R. Zeldi
(Skip)	(Skip)
A. Hutton	A. C. Tribble
J. G. Robertson	A. W. Ramsey
J. Crighton	W. Butterworth
A. Spary	F. E. Skinner
(Skip)	(Skip)
C. E. Crouch	E. R. Rossetti
J. Hempey	G. R. Rossetti
A. R. Warren	R. S. Capell
V. Chatterden	T. Lock
(Skip)	(Skip)
Total	Total
60	55

FC—IRC

Filipino Club, who entertained Indian Recreation Club in a Second Division Lawn Bowls game at King's Park, lost to their guests, going down by four and a half points and on an aggregate of 47 shots to 53.

D.A. Rozario and A.O. Madar were seen in a tight game, the score standing at 20-20 after the last wood had been played.

FC	IRC
Bill Chang	A.H. Abbas
A.Y. Lee	M.A. Walab
H.Y. Hsu	A.E.A. Rahman
D.A. Rozario	A.O. Madar
(Skip)	(Skip)
L. Castillo	S.O. Bux
F. Rodriguez	A.H. Secamin
V.N. Atienza	A.J. Razack
W.V. Field	A.M. Wahab
(Skip)	(Skip)
C.M. Franco	O.R. Shidick
J. Delgado	I. Kitchell
S.S. Hussain	S.M. Rumjahn
R. Busa	(Skip)
(Skip)	(Skip)
Total	Total
43	57

HKFC—HKCC

Playing at home Hong Kong Football Club lost to Hong Kong Cricket Club in a Second Division Lawn Bowls game by 8 shots, the final score being 58-50. The visitors won on two rinks and lost on one.

HKFC	HKCC
J. S. Howell	N. R. Oliver
C. Strange	E. J. R. Mitchell
A. E. Selby	H. F. Shields
J. W. Lee	N. J. Bobbington
(Skip)	W. Williamson
E. E. Wallwork	G. W. Sewell
H.B.L. Dowling	L. R. Wood
C. Carr	A. F. Hawkins
M. N. Rakusen	T. H. Wild
(Skip)	(Skip)
L. Strange	D. Phillips
L. F. Hamley	F. C. Black
B. A. Mansell	R. A. Edwards
B. I. Bickford	A. W. Brown
(Skip)	(Skip)
Total	Total
50	58

THIRD DIVISION

KBGC—POC

In the only Third Division Lawn Bowls game played, Kowloon Bowling Green Club beat Prison Officers Club at Austin Road by 64 shots to 55.

The home team won only one rink, but that was sufficient to

RESULTS AT A GLANCE

FIRST DIVISION			
IRC	(2) 55	CCC	(3) 57
KDC	(0) 52	KBGC	(5) 61
SECOND DIVISION			
CCC	(0) 42	Recreio	(5) 72
KBGC	(3 1/2) 60	KCC	(1 1/2) 55
FC	(5 1/2) 43	IRC	(4 1/2) 57
HKFC	(1) 50	HKCC	(4) 58
THIRD DIVISION			
KBGC	(3) 64	POC	(2) 55
FRIENDLY			
HKERC	58	TDC	69
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give them three points and victory.			
KDCG		POC	
A.P. Weir		A.G. Bond	
T.P. Style		J. Caldwell	
A. Bailey		G.V. McGrath	
I.E. Lammert		W.C. Higgs	
(Skip)	29	(Skip)	12
E.P.S. Baker		J. Jamelson	
R.H. Browne		S. Maslen	
C.F. Torry		R.J. Crandley	
T.J. Hensley		S. Hurch	
(Skip)	18	(Skip)	21
A.R. Grossmith		R. Rosen	
A. Dood		G. Woodward	
J.E. Roberts		M. Scott	
H.H. Rose		McCutcheon	
(Skip)	17	(Skip)	22
Total	64	Total	55

FRIENDLY MATCH

HKERC—TDC

Hong Kong Electric beat Talkson in a friendly game of Lawn Bowls at Min-Yuen by 69 shots to 59.

The home team won on two rinks and lost on one.

HKERC	TDC
R. Smith	D. R. Dally
J. Jackway	N. Heaton
E. Poulson	A. Steven
V. Boneh	W. McKie
(Skip)	(Skip)
W. Stoker	A. W. Lock
A. Pinell	R. B. Griffin
J. Sokoe	J. B. Baxter
F. Golding	J.H. Kinniburgh
(Skip)	(Skip)
F. Fell	W. Nicholson
F. Paul	W. McCall
J. Bottomley	R. Marshall
R. C. Butler	C. Boveral
(Skip)	(Skip)
Total	Total
68	59

Lawn Bowls League Standings

FIRST DIVISION			
CCC	P	W	L
CCC	6	4	2
KBGC	6	3	3
IRC	6	3	3
KCC	4	2	2
FC	5	1	4
HKFC	5	1	4
Recreio	5	1	4
SECOND DIVISION			
KBGC	P	W	L
KBGC	6	5	1
KCC	6	3	3
IRC	6	3	3
KBGC	6	2	4
TDC	5	3	2
HKCC	6	1	5
THIRD DIVISION			
KBGC	P	W	L
KBGC	5	4	1
POC	5	2	3
KBGC	4	2	2
KBGC	4	2	2
KBGC	4	1	3
PRO	4	1	3

NEW YORK BOXING OFFICIALS UNDER FIRE

Chicago, June 17.

Commissioner Abo Greene of the National Boxing Association cracked out today at New York boxing officials who have refused to recognise the June 22 fight between Joe Walcott and Exzard Charles as a world heavyweight championship bout.

"Those who turn their eyes blindly on the heavy-weight tag for the Walcott-Charles scrap refuse to face the facts," he said. "They talk in terms of a tournament but they do not back up their arguments."

"Name the most promising heavyweights in the world today," he said. "I talked with a prominent boxing official from New York, which is consistent in refusing to recognise anything which does not stem from that state. I asked him whom he would include in such a tournament. Walcott? He agreed. Charles? He agreed."

Savold Offered First Crack

"Savold? Well, Savold was offered the first crack in the first bout of the Joe Louis competition but he had other commitments. He has been promised a crack at the Chicago winner anytime he is ready."

"I challenged him then to name any others who might be eligible for tournament consideration. There just was no acceptable contender. It is not within my province to pass on the class or the in-vincibility of the two men, nor to make comparisons on their relative greatness. What we have set out to do is to avoid the chaos which would inevitably ensue on the retirement of Louis if no champion was designated."

Shoot For The Crown

"By setting up a champion from among the most formidable competitors and then insisting that the men so designated put his title into active competition we are making it possible for any young heavyweight who might emerge within the next year to shoot for the crown without the entanglements and confusion which would ensue otherwise."

Commissioner Greene's statement was released through the Illinois Athletic Commission, an affiliate of the NBA. The NBA has agreed to recognise the Walcott-Charles winner as the world heavyweight champion.—United Press.

SHIFT OF TRAINING QUARTERS

Philadelphian, June 17. Kid Gavilan, who meets the war-weight champion Ray "Sugar" Robinson in a title bout here on July 11—will shift his training quarters to Parkville, N.Y., next Monday, match-maker Johnny Attell announced today.

Attell said Gavilan will complete his workouts at the Lash Hotel and the Country Club in Parkville. He is now drilling at Sunnyside, New Jersey.—United Press.

NCDN ON SINO-BRITISH RELATIONS

(Continued from Page 1)

The paper asked the authorities to act to allow the warship Amethyst to be brought down the Yangtze from the point where she was shelled by Reds during the river crossing in April. It said settlement of the Amethyst case would help restore "completely amicable relations."

Threat Ayertad

The threat of Shanghai being deprived of its last English language newspaper was averted today when the "North China Daily News" reached an understanding with its Chinese printing staff over future wage payments, says Reuter.

This British-owned morning paper is the city's only English language daily at present, following the suspension of operations by the American-owned "Shanghai Evening Post" after a dispute with its workers. The editorial staff of the "Evening Post" have not been near their office since June 15 when the Chinese strikers, after agreeing to a new wage scale, insisted that the editor, Mr. Randall Gould, withdraw his attack story from the paper.—United Press and Reuter.

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YORKSHIRE DEFEAT CHAMPIONSHIP LEADERS

London, June 17.

Worcestershire, in spite of today's narrow defeat by Yorkshire, still lead the County cricket championship table, but their margin over Yorkshire is now cut to 12 points. Worcestershire have 80 points from 10 games and Yorkshire 68 from eight games.

Nottinghamshire's win over Leicestershire in the only other County game of the series has brought them from 14th place to joint 11th with Gloucestershire, while Leicestershire remain joint last with Hampshire.

Yorkshire defeated the championship leaders after the most tense day's cricket experience at Worcester for years. Yorkshire always looked slight favourites, but the home batsmen made a gallant effort on a wearing pitch, which helped spin.

With 201 runs needed with nine wickets in hand, Worcestershire's early batsmen were always struggling. Had Jenkins, who was in three hours for 40 runs, found a partner to match his resolution before lunch, the result could easily have gone the other way. Jenkins played the spinners firmly, but not until seven wickets were down for 148 did Reg Perks raise Worcestershire's hopes with lusty hitting which brought him 61 in 32 minutes.

As soon as Perks left the game was as good as over, but he gave Yorkshire a nasty scare.

The most successful bowlers were Robinson, whose offbreaks brought him four wickets for 78, and the 18-year-old Close, whose three second innings' wickets gave him the best analysis of his brief career—nine for 92.

Whirlwind Display

A whirlwind display of fast scoring, in which Poole and Reginald Simpson played the leading parts, carried Nottinghamshire to a glorious victory over Leicestershire.

The proposition set by Leicestershire, 279 to win in 145 minutes, looked difficult enough, but Notts hit so freely that the runs were made with 38 minutes to spare.

This was accomplished for the loss of only one wicket.

Poole and Simpson hit off 251 in 97 minutes. In that time Poole made 154, the highest score of his career. He hit 21 boundaries and reached his century in an hour.

Simpson for the first time in his career completed a century in each innings. He hit a five and six fours.

Nottinghamshire obtained the runs in 35 overs, no one of which was a maiden.

J. G. Dewes and G. H. Doggart, who earlier this season established a record English second wicket stand of 427, put on 163 for Cambridge University against the MCC today. Doggart hit seven fours in his 166, made in four hours 36 minutes, and Dewes included eight fours in his 90, for which he was just over four hours at the wicket.

The results of the games which ended today were:

At Worcester: Yorkshire beat Worcestershire by 35 runs. Yorkshire 210 and 177; Worcestershire 137 and 215.

At Nottingham: Nottinghamshire beat Leicestershire by nine wickets. Leicestershire 292 and 294 for 3 declared (Lester 122 not out, Prentice 83); Notts 308 and 279 for one (Poole 154 not out, Simpson 102 not out).

Results

At Lord's: MCC draw with Cambridge University. Cambridge 179 and 376 for 4 declared (Doggart 166, Dewes 98, Insole 83 not out); MCC 312 for 8 declared and 144 for 6 (Stevens 3 for 38).

At Bristol: Combined Services drew with Gloucestershire. Combined Services 340 and 300 for 7 declared (May 98 not out, Deighton 51); Gloucestershire 438 and 160 for 8 (Shirreff 0 for 61).—Reuter.

Lamotta's Plans

Detroit, June 17.

Jake Lamotta, proud and serious about his new world middleweight championship, today promised he would stay in excellent shape and said he plans to keep the title for many years.

Jake said he would start an exhibition tour with his brother Joey as soon as his injured left hand healed.

Jake praised ex-champ Marcel Cerdan highly. "I never thought he was much of a fighter, but some of his blows really hurt. He is far from being an old man. I knew I was in a real fight every minute."—United Press.

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SUNDAY HERALD

SPORTS SECTION

HONG KONG, SUNDAY, JUNE 19, 1949.

Lone Ascot Win For France

Ascot, Berkshire, June 17.

France won her solo Ascot victory this afternoon, the last day of the four-day meeting, when Alindrake, winner of his last two races in France, carried off the Queen Alexandra Stakes of two and three-quarter miles, the longest flat race in Britain.

Ridden by the French jockey Paul Blanc, this four-year-old son of Admiral Drake scored a two-lengths' victory over Vulcan, last year's winner, and four to five favourite.

Allindrake started at seven to one.

Third was another French colt, Trois Moulins, starting at 33 to 1.

When "Togo" Johnston, riding the favorite, drew up to Allindrake two furlongs out, he seemed sure to win, but Allindrake, who had been under pressure for the last half mile, plodded on gamely to credit his owner, Mr. E.A. Toulmond, and his trainer, E. Beullenger, with their first Ascot success.

Wokingham Stakes Winner

The other big prize of the afternoon, the six-furlong Wokingham Stakes, fell to the favourite, Colonel Gilles Loder's The Cobler, starting a warm favourite at four to one.

Ridden by the champion jockey, Gordon Richards, The Cobler, drew the coveted place on the outside of the huge field of 35 runners and, although he carried heavily on him, Richards waited with the former Derby failure until the distance, when he came through to win comfortably by two lengths.

Second was a 20 to 1 chance, Irish Dance, ridden by Edgar Britt, and third, three-quarters of a length away, another outsider, the 33 to 1 shot, Colorado Star.

This was Gordon Richards' second winner of the day. He had previously ridden his 100th winner of the season in getting the camera decision of a short horse on the Aga Khan's Tabriz in the five-furlong Windsor Castle Stakes.

Tabriz, a grey son of Teheran, starting at 10 to 1, just got the decision over Sir Richard Sykes' Monarchia, a daughter of Dante, which started at 100 to 1.

The hot favourite in this race was the American-bred filly, Mary Phyllis, but in this grey daughter of Mahoud, starting at 11 to 10, was slowing away and never threatened the leading candidates.

Richards rode his third winner of the day in getting home the four to six favourite, Abernethy, in the five-furlong King's Stand Stakes, the last race of the day and the meeting.

This grey three-year-old son of Owen Tudor atoned for his two Thousand Guineas defeat by scoring a four lengths' victory over the 25 to 1 outsider, Cul de Sac.

Outsiders won the one-mile and a half Hardwicke Stakes. Silver Gate, starting at 100 to 8, won the former to give Miss Dorothy Paget her only Ascot success and Lady Zia Warnham's Helioscope, starting at 20 to 1, won the latter.

The Stanley House stable was expected to follow up their yesterday's success in the Gold Cup and provided a well fancied runner in each of these events. Ottomani, in the former, was left at the start and Dogger Bank, in the latter, could only finish third.

And thus ended the 1949 Ascot. Some backers had an excellent meeting, as more than the usual number of "good things" turned up, but there were others, as is always the case, who had a grim time and the bookmakers will not do all the paying out next week.—Reuter.

First Title Winner

Oslo, June 17.

Janec Kasperczak, of Poland, was the first title winner when the finals of the European amateur boxing championships were staged before 10,000 spectators here this evening.

Kasperczak won the flyweight championship by defeating Josef Bedard, of Hungary, on points.

Kasperczak did most of the attacking, but Bedard, countered well until he began to tire. Kasperczak kept up the pressure to win the title on a points decision.

Battista Zudda, of Italy, won the bantamweight title by defeating Kenneth Jensen, of Denmark, on points. Zudda was the stronger of the pair, but the Dane defended courageously and got in some spectacular punches.

Laslo Papay, of Hungary, won the middleweight title, defeating E. Kocin, of Brazil, on points.

Schroeder In Final At London

London, June 17.

Ted Schroeder, the United States favourite for the Wimbledon title, entered the final of the London lawn tennis championships today when he beat South Africa's Eric Sturges 4-6, 6-2 and 7-5.

This was definitely Schroeder's hardest match since he arrived in England and he was without a game of losing the match when Sturges led 6-4 in the third set. Schroeder used all the strength of his high volleys ability to bring him victory. The passing shots of Sturges had the American worried frequently, but after levelling that final set on his own service at five all, Schroeder broke through Sturges' service in the 11th game and then held his own to succeed.

Meanwhile, the two ladies' singles semi-finals had left Miss Louise Brough, the Wimbledon champion and Mrs. Dupont to contest the final.

Both the semi-finals were all-American affairs, Miss Brough beating Mrs. Patricia Todd 6-1 and 6-1, and Mrs. Dupont winning 2-6, 6-3 and 6-3 against Miss Gussie Moran.

Miss Brough lost the first game but won 10 in a row afterwards.

Bromwich Loses

In the other men's semi-final, Gardner Mulloy beat John Bromwich of Australia by 2-6, 6-4 and 6-4, and so in tomorrow's final Mulloy and Schroeder will have a dress rehearsal of the Central Court all-American match in the first round of the Wimbledon championship next Monday.

In the men's doubles semi-final, Bromwich and F. Sedgman beat Budge Patty and Eric Sturges by 6-2 and 6-2.

G. E. Brown and O.W. Stidwell beat G. Mulloy and Schroeder by 6-8, 7-5 and 13-11.—Reuter.

AMERICAN AMATEUR GOLF TEAM

New York, June 18.

The United States Golf Association today announced the 10-man team which will represent America versus Britain in the International Amateur Golf Walker Cup series in August.

The players are: Willie Turnesa, Frank Stranahan, Ray Billows, Stanley Bishop, Charles Coe, John Dawson, Charles Kockis, Bruce McCormick, James McHale, Robert Riegel, Francis Omet, is the nonplaying captain. The matches will be held on August 19 and 20.—United Press.

Manila Cagers Win Fifth Game In Row

Before a record crowd at Caroline Hill last night, the Asia Theatre Basketball Team of Manila beat South China Athletic Association by the narrow margin of 40-35.

Manila boys stretched their winning streak to five games, having previously moved down the Black Cat, Kung Man and Chinese YMCA.

Farjado and Edward Lee once again stole the spotlight with their machine-like distribution of the ball and were jointly top scorers for their side.

Towards the end of the second quarter, the teams were on even terms with the scores standing at 22-21.

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Cheong Shines As EAA Sweeps Swimming Meet

(By KIMBERLEY)

Eastern Athletic Association's youthful swim pride Cheong Kin-man, spotlighted the Eastern VRC meet last night when he dethroned Tony Lopes in the 100 yards back-stroke swim, winning in 70 seconds flat—1.6 seconds outside the record—and beating Sonny Monteiro in the 220 in the excellent time of two minutes 29.6 seconds to cause one of the biggest upsets in years.

VRC suffered badly last night. Eastern swept the board clean in all five inter-member events to clinch the meet with 19 points to VRC's 8, then went on to beat their hosts in the water-polo by six goals to one.

Swimming Star



Eastern's swim pride, Cheong Kin-man, who caused a sensation in local swimming yesterday when he defeated Tony Lopes, the champion, in the 100 yards back stroke returning the grand time of 70 seconds flat. Earlier in the meet, Cheong snatched a last moment victory from Sonny Monteiro in the 220 swim, clocking an impressive 2 minutes 29.6 seconds.—("China Mail" photo).

Cheong Passes Sonny

With some eight yards left, Cheong passed Sonny and forced his stroke, tearing away to a little over two feet in front of the VRC boy, touching home at 2/29.6—in the time which Sonny returned in coming second to Lau Tai-ping during the 1948 Championships.

The surprise of the evening was still to come. This arrived when the 100 back stroke event came on.

Cheong was never known for this race, while Tony Lopes' reputation for any back-stroke event needs no elaboration.

In the race last night, Lopes led only for the first 25 yards. That was all. Cheong passed him on their way down to the 40 mark, but few expected him to keep it up.

Coming to the 75 turn, Cheong drew almost a body length ahead of Lopes and on the last turn, came out fast and stroking.

Lopes sprinted furiously in that last 25 yards and drew steadily up to do any more. Cheong reaching the wall just by a win in 70 flat. Lopes was stopped in the same time.

The relay saw another Eastern victory with the visitors' quartette highly superior to VRC's composite of Jack Gomes, Eric Guest, Sonny Monteiro and Wilfred Lawrence.

Sonny, swimming the third leg, beat Cheong Kin-man at the turn to give VRC a slight lead, but William Tee made made up for this margin and won from Wilfred Lawrence to give Eastern a clear sweep of the night's events.

Eastern showed superior combination and scoring ability in a water polo game, beating a hitherto undefeated VRC team by 8.

six goals to one with Cheong Kin-man scoring a "hat-trick".

The Chinese utilised long passing tactics to score, avoiding close play with the more robust VRC men.

The home team had chances, but poor shooting lost them their opportunities. At half-time, the Chinese were 3-1.

Results

50 yards free style: 1. W. Tee (E); 2. Tsui Han (E); 3. G. Kozza-Perreira (VRC). Time: 23 seconds.

220 free style: 1. Cheong Kin-man (E); 2. Sonny Monteiro (VRC); 3. J. Yanovich (VRC). Time: 2/29.6 seconds.

100 yards back stroke: 1. Cheong Kin-man (E); 2. Tony Lopes (VRC); 3. W. Tee (E). Time: 70 seconds.

100 yards breast stroke: 1. Cheong Kin-man (E); 2. Sonny Monteiro (VRC); 3. W. Tee (E). Time: 80 seconds.

4 x 50 yards relay: 1. Eastern Athletic Association.

Water Polo: Eastern Athletic Association 8. VRC 1.

Points score: Eastern 19; VRC 8.



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